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CITES 'LINDY' AS EXAMPLE

SPEAKER DRAWS CONTRAST WITH HICKMAN.

NEED THE DIVINE URGE

Youth's Search for Freedom Can't Go Beyond Bounds, Dewar Says.—Diplomas Given.

Devoting the first fifteen minutes of his address to Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and to William Edward Hickman, the Rev. William N. Dewar, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, told the mid-year graduating class of the Maryville High School at the commencement excreises last night that the former should exemplify what youth should be in character, the latter what youth should not be.

The Reverend Mr. Dewar spoke on, "Youth and the Future," and used the distinguished aviator as the example of a young man who had achieved success and still had 'kept his head' and character.

"Lindbergh is to be commended for his qualities of character while the world acclaims him for his heroic and stupendous achievement. We admire his idealism, his modesty, reserved conversation, courageous spirit, his calmness and singleness of purpose," said the speaker.

"He is a world's hero of sterling worth. His success in the effort was not attributed to the material alone, but to the spiritual. Lindbergh has what we all need, the divine urge. Do not attempt to commercialize personality," the graduates were warned.

More Than Diplomats.

"Lindbergh is doing more in cementing wounds of nations and peoples than all the diplomats of the twentieth century. It is personality that is lighting international relationships.

The Reverend Mr. Dewar said Edward Hickman was the antithesis of Lindbergh, and he gave only a few remarks relative to the young slayer, closing the subject with, "stories have their shadows as well as their sunshine.

"There is a spirit abroad today to find fault with the moral life of our youth. This temple of the modern world is different and youth has new conditions to meet which makes them no worse," he said.

The speaker declared this is an age of science and facts and that the activities of the world have been brought under the microscope.

"In this new age youth seeks a new freedom. The young man flaunts authority and seeks his own experience. Sometimes he is right, and sometimes he is not. But there is a realm in which we can't be free. It is in the realm of the moral, spiritual, and physical life, governed by other laws than our own.

"This flaming revolt of youth is claimed to be the aftermath of the late war, which brought a collapse of everything spiritual. War and its results are brutalizing and absorb all spiritual nature within us.

Lack Spiritual Power.

"The mind of man seeks to become mechanical. Experiments are made into the fininite future which we know nothing about. The future is determined on the basis of the spiritual realm. There are some things in this world we cannot hear with ears, see with eyes, touch with tongue, or feel with hands."

The Reverend Mr. Dewar said this lack of spiritual power is why one state has four divorces for every five marriages, and why trial marriages are becoming popular.

"This age flaunts the traditional aspect of religion. We are trying to find some faith other than God's in some new creed or doctrine or church. This age is morally confused and spiritually in unrest.

"Religion will undergo a new change, with a new day, with a new demand. I am optimistic enough to believe in the ultimate triumph of humanity.

"We must become conscious of our abilities to do a thing, use our energies, stir up the thing within us and focus it on our life aims.

"There are three days to life," Mr. Dewar said. "They are preparation, opportunity, and achievement.

"Life of the future depends on the purity, strength, beauty, and power youth puts into life, expended so that in deed and truth life may be fulfilled and dedicated to Christ," he concluded.

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Esther Pratt, 9, Is Struck by Truck

Girl Riding Tricycle When Accident Happens — Was Only Bruised.

Esther Pratt, 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pratt, of Maryville, was struck this morning at the corner of Second and Main streets by a truck belonging to Nick Wagner and driven by his son, Charles, about 16 years old. The girl was bruised and not seriously injured. She was taken to the Physicians building, where medical attention was given and afterwards she was able to walk home.

She was riding her tricycle when the accident occurred and had just left the curb as the truck turned the corner.

WINTER BACK AGAIN SUNDAY

NEW COLD WAVE PREDICTED FOR MIDDLE WEST.

SNOW OR RAIN LIKELY

Week of Mild Temperatures to Be Followed by Drop—Stock May Suffer.

Next Week's Weather.

Weather outlook for the period Jan. 16-21:

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys and northern and central great plains—cold at beginning of week, especially in north portions, rising temperature by the middle or toward close; probably one or two precipitation periods.

Today was the warmest January 14 in Maryville since J. R. Brink began making weather observations here, thirty-six years. The temperature at five minutes of 2 o'clock this afternoon was 61 degrees above zero, the same as the maximum temperature on January 10 this year.

The warmest January 14 on record prior to today was 51 degrees in 1914. Mr. Brink said today it was interesting to know that there was 83 degrees difference between the high temperature of today and the lowest temperature of any January 14 on record.

On January 14, 1916, the temperature went to 22 degrees below zero.

Cold Wave on Way.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—A new cold wave was promised today for the Middle West.

Charles Donnell, district weather forecaster, announced temperatures will start falling throughout the Chicago area tonight and by Monday will reach 10 above zero.

Meanwhile Donnell announced that today was the warmest January 14 since 1894. At 11 a. m., today the mercury touched 50 degrees above zero and Donnell said it might go as high as 55 by mid-afternoon.

Cold Wave by Tomorrow.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 14.—Winter will return to the Southwest Sunday, weather observers predicted today.

An unsettled condition will prevail tonight with rain and snow over the area and the cold wave was expected to strike tomorrow.

First predictions here indicated the temperature will fall to at least 15 degrees above zero. It will be the first time in nearly a week that the mercury has gone below freezing in Kansas City.

In view of the anticipated moisture the cold was expected to be hard on livestock and observers in some instances included warnings to stock interests.

College Gospel Team to Go to Skidmore

The College Gospel team will go to Skidmore tomorrow where its members wil give three talks at the morning services of the Church there on practical religion in business, church and the home. The Rev. J. V. Hawk is pastor of the church.

Fred Smith will talk on "Practical Religion in the Home," Merlyn James on "Practical Religion in Business," and Roy Dickman on "Practical Religion in the Church."

Carl LeRoy Fisher will play a xylophone solo and Vernon Barrett will give a vocal solo.

Dr. Maxwell head ,;:.roslhH

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Lake, of McPherson, Ia., announce the birth of a nine pound son Thursday. Mrs. Lake will be remembered as Miss Edna Caldwell, formerly of Maryville.

EASTERN STAR IN CEREMONY

PUBLIC INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS HELD LAST NIGHT.

FEATURES ARE ADDED

Drill, Dances and Music Given Before Crowd of 225—Mrs. Hamlin Installing Officer.

Installation of the officers of the Rosanna Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, No. 262, was held last night at the Masonic Temple. A short business session was held first and the installation was public, with about 225 persons present.

The retiring officers Miss Gladys Ford, W. M.; Jonathan Stark, W. P.; Mrs. Ruth Zeigler, A. M.; Mrs. Bertha Hereford, secretary; Mrs. Anna Knox, treasurer; Mrs. Cora Hantze, conductress; Mrs. Thurla Kessler, associate conductress; Mrs. Edna Bird, chaplain; Mrs. Grace Will, marshal; Miss Neva Sage, organist; Mrs. Gladys Wilson, Adah; Miss Mary Elizabeth Jones, Ruth; Miss Rosella Froman, Esther; Mrs. Bertha Cummings, Martha; Mrs. Nellie Appleby, Electa; Mrs. Zelpha Garten, warder; and J. H. Knox, sentinel; marched in and took their places and the past matrons and past patrons of the chapter were escorted in and seated together.

Flag Drill Given.

The flag drill was given led by William Person. Edward and Erman Bird, acting as pages, escorted the old officers from their places and the installing officers. Mrs. Vida Mae Hamlin, grand warder of the Grand Chapter of the Order Eastern Star of Missouri, acted as installing officer with Henry Russell of the Hopkins Chapter as grand patron. Mrs. Grace Will was grand marshal and Miss Mayme Heflin was chaplain. The pages then escorted the new officers, who were installed.

After the worthy matron, Mrs. Cora Hantze, was installed and escorted to the east, four little girls in colonial costumes, Mary Henderson, Ruth Brumbaugh, Helen Leet and Virginia Mutz, presented her a bouquet of roses and danced the minuet. A solo, "The Hour of Prayer," was given by Margaret Knox, after installing Miss Etta Marie Stiverson as chaplain. After the Star Points were installed, Charlotte and Anna Belle Withington, Betty Jane Tarpley, Evangeline Scott and Zelpha Hene Kessler, marched in and presented these officers with flowers.

The New Officers.

The officers installed were: Mrs. Cora Hantze, worthy matron; Jonathan Stark, worth patron; Mrs. Thurla Kessler, associate matron; Mrs. Bertha Hereford, secretary; Mrs. Emma Eckles, treasurer; Mrs. Zelpha Garten, conductress; Mrs. Nellie Appleby, associate conductress; Miss Etta Marie Stiverson, chaplain; Miss Glayds Ford, marshal; Miss Mattie Smith, organist; Mrs. Mary Withington, Adah; Mrs. Edna Bird, Ruth; Miss Rosella Froman, Esther; Mrs. Merle Smith, Martha; Mrs. Mary Keegin, Electa; Miss Hattie Culver, warder; Ernest Kessler, sentinel

After all the officers were installed, Mary Joe Dyer and Mary Henderson gave a dance and musical reading.

At the presentation of the past matron's jewel, all the retiring officers marched to the seat, formed a semi-circle to the east, and Miss Gladys Ford, the retiring worthy matron, was presented with the jewel by Miss Mary Elizabeth Jones.

Several Visitors.

Mrs. Elsie Dougan of Bolckow gave several readings. Miss Neva Sage at the piano and Miss Beatrice Hansen, violin, furnished the music. There were several visitors from over the county, among them being Mrs. Cora Coleman of Hopkins, district deputy grand matron of the seventh district, and Mrs. Elsie Dougan, Bolckow, grand representative to the State of Michigan from the grand chapter of Missouri.

Mrs. Anna Knox, Mrs. Mary Withington and Mrs. Edna Bird were the committee in charge.

J. R. Mars to Open Building-Loan Office

J. R. Mars of the Greene County Building and Loan Association will open an office in Maryville within a few days. Mr. Mars will have Nodaway and Atchison Counties as his territory. He has been located in St. Joseph. His family will join him here within the next few months. Mr. Mars and Victor Fields of this city were reared together at Browning, Mo.

HOUSTON TO CONSTRUCT A TABERNACLE

Temporary Auditorium to Seat 20,000 Persons at Democratis Convention.

Washington, Jan. 14.—A temporary auditorium of the Billy Sunday tabernacle type to seat 20,000 people will be built by Houston, Tex., for the 1928 Democratis National Convention, Jesse Jones, chairman of the committee on arrangements of the Democratic national committee, announced today.

This was regarded as necessary, because Houston's auditorium seats only about 6,500. At least 5,000 persons would be there on business, leaving only 1,500 seats for spectators.

The temporary auditorium will cost about $100,000, to be paid by Houston. Its roof will be either wood or canvas.

Chairman Jones advised all who are going to the convention, which opens June 26, to wear white clothing.

"Bring write clothes and you'll be comfortable. Bring heavy ones and you will be miserable," Jones said.

Galveston, Tex., 50 miles away, has placed 1,000 hotel rooms on call for convention visitors.

POLICE AFTER 2 ATTACKERS

HUNTS CONDUCTED IN CALIFORNIA, MICHIGAN.

ONE A "JEKYLL-HYDE"

Specialist Declares Edward Hickman A "Sculless Monster," But That He is Perfectly Sane.

Hickman "Sculless Monster."

Los Angeles, Jan. 14.—Dr. Cecil Reynolds, internationally known alienist, declared here today that William Edward Hickman, slayer of Marion Parker, is a "Sculless Monster." The youth, however, is sane, Dr. Reynolds said.

"William Edward Hickman is one of the sanest men in the world today," the physician added after conducting tests with the young killer.

Another California Search.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 14.—A man-hunt comparable to the one which brought about the capture of Edward Hickman covered southern California today as posses searched for the attacker of 11-year-old Audrey Clark.

The girl was kidnaped and attacked late yesterday by a "slovenly appearing, middle aged man," who finally released her.

Helps "Hunt for Dog."

She was on her way home, when the man accosted her. He offered her "$10 if she would help him hunt for a dog." The child followed him through city streets and to a point in the mountains.

As they came to a small shrubbery patch, he suddenly dragged her from the road, the child said. Keeping her there for some time, the man finally told her to go.

Audrey walked to her home and told the story to her parents. As quickly as the attack news spread over the city, citizens, still embittered by the slaying of Marion Parker, joined in the hunt.

Despite a search of the woods and sectionss adjacent to the scene of the attack, police had no clue to the attacker's identity.

Kidnaper a Jekyll-Hyde.

Flint, Mich., Jan. 14.—Failure of police and volunteer posses to round up the middle-aged man who kidnaped and mutilated Dorothy Schneider, 5-year-old kindergarten pupil, gave rise today to the theory that the assailant was a Jekyll-Hyde type of extraordinary cunning.

In addition to the fact that incisions made on the little girl were done with almost professional surgical skill and were confined to well defined anatomical areas, authorities were inclined to view his escape from a state-wide search as due to extraordinary resource and intelligence.

Governor of Indiana to Trial February 7

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 14.—Ed Jackson, governor of Indiana, will go to trial with two co-defendants, Tuesday, February 7, on charges of conspiracy to commit a felony in attempting to bribe former Governor Warren T. McCray.

PRESIDENT ON TOWARD CUBA

FLORIDA RESIDENTS SHOWER FRUIT AND FLOWERS.

A BUSY TIME AHEAD

American Executive's Hours to Be Crowded at Pan-American Conference.

Fort Pierce, Fla., Jan. 14.—Flowers and fruit were presented to President and Mrs. Coolidge by school children this afternoon when the "Friendship Special" stopped here a few minutes after 1 p. m.

Mrs. Coolidge, smiling graciously, accepted a wreath of roses and placed them about her neck. Semi-tropical weather greeted the Presidential party.

Aboard President Coolidge's special Train, Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 14.—The President's "Friendship Special" bearing him on the first leg of his journey to the Havana Pan-American conference, reached here shortly before 8 a. m. today.

The President was up nearly an hour before arrival here, shaved with his old-fashioned razor, breakfasted on Florida strawberries and bacon and eggs with hot cakes.

He went out to the rear platform for a breath of air and to view the scenery but was disappointed at the rain and fog.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Elaborate precautions have been taken to guard the presidential special train on its way from Washington to Key West, Fla., the United Press learned today.

President Coolidye is protected not only by his own secret service men but by a squad of railroad police and passenger agents.

A pilot engine keeps one mile ahead of the train and another locomotive follows in the rear to prevent collisions.

Railroad police are stationed at all points along the right of way. A man is at every switch, despite the fact that the switches are safety interlocking. Two men stand at every bridge, one at each end.

The Atlantic Coast line, over which the President traveled as far as Jacksonville, Fla., ceased all freight movement while the special was on its main line, so that possible derailment of a box car might not interfere with the trip.

At each brief stop, trainmen test wheel brakes and air brakes of the train. An extra engineer and an extra fireman are carried, for employment in emergency.

To Have Busy Time.

Havana, Jan. 14.—President Coolidge will have a busy two days in this capitol when he arrives Sunday to participate in the opening session of the Sixth Pan American Conference.

His complete itinerary as announced by the Cuban department:

Sunday January 15, the U. S. S. Texas, bearing the presidential party is due to arrive in Havana Harbor at 4 p. m.

At the dock the party will be welcomed by President and Senora Machado, after which the entire party will leave by eight automobiles for the palace.

Upon arrival at the palace President Machado's family will greet President and Mrs. Coolidge at the door. The two executives and their families will appear upon a balcony later so that they may be seen by the public.

At 5 p. m. Mr. Coolidge will receive the Cuban officials.

At 5:15 p. m. the President will receive the heads of foreign missions in Havana.

At 8:30 p. m., a small dinner will be given in the palace.

Conference Opens Monday.

On Monday January 16 at 10:30 a. m., the opening session of the conference will take place at the auditorium of the National Theatre. The only addresses will be those of the two Presidents.

At 12:30 the Presidential party will leave for "Finca Menita" the country estate of President Machado at Santiago De Las Vegas, where a luncheon will be served at 1:15 p. m.

At 4 p. m., the entire party will attend a special game of jai alia.

At 8:30 p. m., a banquet for two hundred persons will be served at the palace.

Tuesday, January 17, the President and Mrs. Coolidge will leave the palace for their return trip to the Texas at

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State to Collect Insurance Rebates

Governor Baker Warns Policy Holders Against Placing Claims in Hands of Agencies.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 14.—The State Department of Missouri will collect all rebate due policy holders under a recent supreme court decision reducing rates 10 per cent, it was announced today by Governor Sam Baker.

Baker warned policy holders against placing their policies in the hands of agencies for collection. The Governor said many firms had sent contracts to policy holders offering to collect the rebate.

"The insurance department of Missouri has ample machinery to bring about settlement of all claims, and I have already began action to assist in collection if the insurance companies do not file a motion for a rehearing within 30 days," Baker said.

ALL FACTIONS ARE PLEASED

DEMOCRATS' DINNER LEAVES NO SORE SPOTS.

HOUSTON ACCEPTABLE

Smith Forces Find Silent Opposition But Not Centered About Any Other Candidate.

By PAUL R. MALLON,
United Press Staff Correspondent

Washington, Jan. 14.—All factions of the Democratic party appeared well pleased today with the outcome of the Jackson Day harmony dinner and the decision taking the convention to Houston, Texas.

Friends of Governor Al Smith of New York were particularly satisfied, although they found considerable silent opposition to their candidate at the dinner.

They figure that out of this first gathering of Democratic leaders since the Madison Square Garden convention, Smith emerged the leading candidate and with no strong opponent.

Better Than "Wet" City.

In the dry voting surroundings of Houston they believe they will find even more favorable influences for their candidate than in the less arid metropolitan cities suggested. They have been encouraged by newspaper stories from Texas that Smith may even get the vote of that state delegation after it casts a few complimentary ballots for its favorite son, Governor Dan Moody.

Smith men on the Democratic national committee gave Houston the votes that really put it over, they say, and Texas men here indicate they are grateful for the chance of playing host to the first Democratic convention in the South since before the Civil War.

There even has been talk of an alliance between Smith and Moody, whereby Moody would get the vice-presidential nomination with Smith heading the ticket.

Opposition Lacks Leader.

The Smith people—and some impartial and ppposition leaders—agree that if Smith is to be beaten, a strong opposition candidate must bedeveloped. Thus far the Smith opposition has been divided.

Smith opposition leaders at the dinner held several informal conferences at which the name of Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana was discussed as a possible Smith opponent. However, nothing was done about advancing Walsh's candidacy at this time.

December Farm Prices Higher Than Year Ago

Secretary Jardine Reports Them Stable at 37 Per Cent Above Pre-War Basis.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Farm prices for December were fairly stable at 37 per cent higher than a pre-war basis of 100 and ten paints higher than a year ago, Secretary of Agriculture Jardine announced today.

Most commodities included in the government's index showed moderate price increases but they were offset by a decline in cotton prices and a seasonal decline in hogs.

Jardine said it is likely the level of farm prices on January 15 will be similar to those of the past three months, with most commodities above last year's prices except wheat, hay, potatoes, hogs, eggs and chickens.

FAIL TO SET NEW RECORD

CHAMBERLIN AND WILLIAMS DOWN AT 2:04 TODAY

LACKED 30 MINUTES

Gasoline Tank Leaks and Fliers Brave Other Mishaps—A New American Mark Bulletin

Mitchell Field, N. Y., Jan. 14—Clarence Chamberlin and Roger O. Williams failed in their attempt to set a new world's record for sustained flight today.

They were forced to land at 2:04.17. The plane was in the air 51 hours, 52 minutes and 24 seconds.

Chamberlin and Williams broke the American endurance record of 51 hours, 11 minutes and 25 seconds, but it probably will not stand as official because under a recent ruling a record must be bettered by an hour or more before it will be accepted by International Aeronautical officials.

Lacked Half Hour of Mark

The world's record held by Johnson Risticz and Cornelius Edzard, Germans, would have been equalled at 2:34:24 p. m. That record was 52 hours, 22 minutes, 31 seconds.

The previous American mark was set by Chamberlin and Bert Acosta last April but the German fliers, cruising between Dessau and Leipzig, bettered it in August.

A minute before the plane started to descend observers on the field noticed the propellor revolving more slowly. Then the plane started down on a long glide. By the time the machine touched the earth and rolled to the west end of the field, the propeller was stationary.

A. R. Martini, owner of the plane, said that although a new world's record had not been established he was satisfied with the performance, adding that the flight demonstrated the safety of aviation.

Another Attempt Soon

Another attempt to establish a new record would be made soon, he said.

Despite a series of hardships, Chamberlin and Williams kept their Bellanca plane circling over the field today.

The aviators were cold because the heating apparatus was crippled early in the flight. They were hungry, malted milk and water being all that remained of their food supply. In addition the fuel tank leaked and the instrument board was damaged so that the fliers had no way of telling how much gasoline remained.

At 10:45 a. m., Chamberlin brought the plane to within 1,000 feet of the ground and dropped a note to the sponsor of the flight.

The note was inserted in a piece of exhaust piping to which had been fastened a sleeve torn from one of the men's shirts.

Gasoline on Sandwiches

The shortage of food was due to their sandwiches being soaked with ethyl gasoline.

Their fog flying instruments also quit functioning. Fortunately the skies had been clear and the airmen had needed these instruments very little.

One gasoline tank was punctured and some of the gasoline supply was lost. The leak was noticed, however, before any great quantity of gasoline was lost.

Wants Diplomats to Obey Laws of U. S.

Amendment Is Proposed in Senate by Senator Blease, South Carolina.

Washington, Jan. 14.—An amendment to make all diplomats of foreign countries in Washington subject to the Eighteenth amendment and all other laws was introduced in the Senate today by Senator Blease, South Carolina.

May Raise S-4 in Two Weeks.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 14.—With continued favorable weather, the submarine S-4 may be raised within two weeks, Rear Admiral Frank M. Brumby, commander of the control force, declared here today.

Weather

Unsettled tonight and Sunday; possibly rain or snow; colder tonight, much colder Sunday night.

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THRIFTY SPENDING.

The kind of thrift that has come to be associated with Benjamin Franklin's name and has been exalted for special homage on January 17, his birthday anniversary, is not really the sort of thrift he practiced. That shrewd Yankee did not prosper by living up to his own advice, "A penny saved is a penny earned." He indulged in a good many financial plunges. His "thrift" consisted chiefly in a certain canny wisdom which made him plunge more often in sound ventures than unsound ones.

It is perhaps unfortunate that his many maxims on this subject have been interpreted so narrowly for many years. But there is a change in sight. Thrift as wise spending is the theory now taught in the practice now advocated.

Owen D. Young, of Dawes Plan fame, has expressed the new viewpoint—which probably was also Franklin's viewpoint—in words worth studying.

"The old notion that saving is always an economic virtue and that spending is always an economic crime has, at least, been questioned in our day. If one spends what he should prudently save, that certainly is to be deplored. But if one saves what he should prudently spend, that is not necessarily to be commended. A wise balance between the two, saving enough to keep a plant account adequate to our service, is the desired end."

This is true whether "the plant" be a commercial or industrial organization or whether it be a family or an individual seeking to make thriftiest use of a given income.

What Other Editors Say

A PROPER DEFIANCE.

(New York Herald-Tribune).

Colonel Frank L. Smith, legally elected Senator from Illinois, shows courage and good citizenship in defying the Reed committee and refusing to admit its right to pass on his title before he takes the oath of office. His credentials are absolutely regular in form. Nobody contests his election. Nobody challenges his constitutional qualifications. The Reed lynchers object to him on grounds above and beyond the law, such as might be alleged in case of an application to membership in a social club.

The Constitution allows the Senate to rid itself of members deemed undesirable by expelling them. But this can be done only after they are admitted as legally qualified. In refusing to let Colonel Smith take the oath of office the Senate has committed an act of sheer violence and usurpation.

Colonel Smith is the victim of Senate mob law. But the State of Illinois is also a victim. Its right to elect Senators in a legitimate manner and to certify their election is flouted. The state's probity, intelligence and self-determination are challenged. The Reed nullificationists assert an arbitrary power to pick and choose among Senators-elect and to bar at the door those against whom they may happen to have personal prejudices. Such a claim clashes with state sovereignty under the Constitution and destroys the equality guaranteed the states in the matter of Senate representation. The Republican voters of Illinois nominated Colonel Smith in a primary; the voters of the state elected him. The state authorities gave him an unimpeachable certificate. The Legislature has demanded that he be seated. The state Supreme Court holds that he is entitled to enter the Senate. The Reed majority is therefore arrayed against the united opinion of the state. It is endeavoring to classify Illinois as a second-class commonwealth, with abridged privileges. Certificates from forty-six states are quoted at par. Illinois and Pennsylvania certificates are quoted at 50.

Passion and violence may prevail for a time, but the law is the law. Equality among the states is a fundamental principle. The House of Commons illegally excluded John Wilkes for many years, but finally had to acknowledge its errors and reverse its decisions. The Senate has been led astray by the lawless and dictatorial Senator from Missouri. It will live to regret and repent its injustice and folly.

A DECLARATION OF FAITH.

(Midwest Review).

It is our belief that mankind is getting better, not worse.

That America is on the eve of a spiritual and cultural reawakening.

That most of our problems come from our speed-size mania, and our crowd-machine civilization.

That we are about to make a better readjustment to these new times, and tools, and ways.

That rapid transportation, quick communication, the movie and radio, will tend to satisfy social hungers without congesting people in such great cities.

That we are going to learn to live in and near crowds without surrendering to them.

That machines will become our servants, not our masters.

That our oldtime, self reliant, independent American individualism is to be reasserted and re-established.

That the leisure we have won will not destroy us nor our wealth debauch us.

That America is finding herself, and is destined to make even greater contributions to the Christian civilization of the world.

That someone will write the great American novel, not sparing us for the mistakes of a new, vast, bold, pioneer, raw nation in the making, but which will recognize, analyze, glorify and immortalize that rugged, restless, resolute American spirit which has won from a wilderness a great republic.

And when that novel is written it will not make fun of the inventor, the business man, the pioneer, the Jesuit, the missionary, the preacher of the gospel and the thousands of little white churches, and little white schools, which scattered over a broad prairie land, sowed the seeds of the American civilization we enjoy today.

Robert I. Young, of St. Joseph, has announced again as a Democratic candidate for United States senator. This will make the campaign seem more natural and more normal. He made the race in 1920 and 1924 and seemed to get a great deal of satisfaction and enjoyment out of it though he did not get many votes. Prior to that he had run for Congress. He has a platform calling for a number of governmental changes among which is the removal of the federal capitol from Washington City to St. Joseph, Missouri.

Aviators Uninjured When Plane Crashes

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 14.—An airplane, piloted by Howard Jones and carrying two passengers, all of Wichita, crashed in a vacant lot here last night.

Forced down by an exhausted oil supply, Jones attempted to make a landing in the dark. The plane struck a tree and broke it off at the ground. The plane then nosed into the mud, turned over, and landed on its back.

None was injured.

Marine Plane Over Water, Going Strong

Ship Flying From Miami to Managua, Nicaragua, in Communication With Radio Station.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The Marine plane flying from Miami, Fla., to Managua, Nicaragua, was in communication with the tropical radio station at Telas, Honduras, at 12:30 p. m., Eastern standard time, today, the navy department was advised. An earlier message reported "we are over water and going strong."

Well, we know it's winter now. The other day we saw a picture of some girls in bathing suits, running in the snow on the shore of Lake Michigan.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Pug got measles, an' I would of gone to see him a lot sooner but I thought he had adenoids or somethin' catchin' like that."

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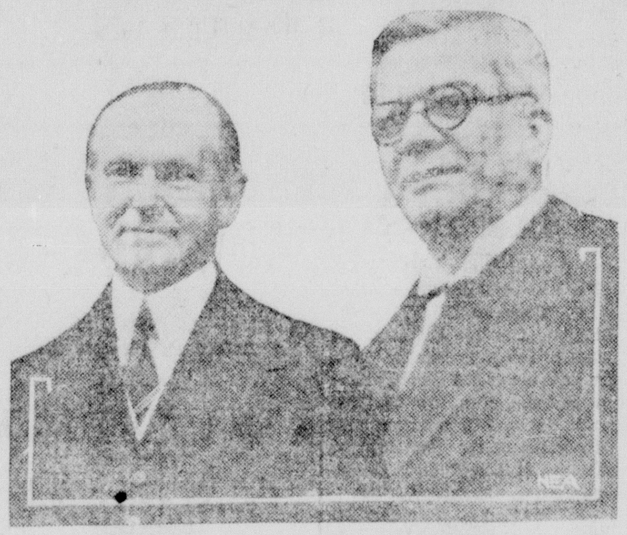
Two Presidents at Havana



Here are two national leaders who will occupy prominent positions at the goodwill conference in Havana—President Machado of Cuba and President Coolidge of the United States.

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TEST MADE IN HOMES

In Cabinet Similar to Present Set, Figures Move, Smoke, Speak—Officials Enthusiastic.

Schnectady, N. Y., Jan. 14.—The possibility of one sitting in his own home and hearing and seeing an opera, a baseball game, a prize fight, or things of equal interest moved definitely closer today.

Television broadcasting was demonstrated successfully by the General Electric Company yesterday at its laboratories here. It was this demonstration that moved the possibilities of combining one's own fireside comfort with the pleasure of seeing and hearing the drama.

In the demonstration here the seeing and hearing was done in the laboratory of Dr. E. F. W. Alexanderson, consulting engineer of the Radio Corporation and the General Electric Company.

See Lips Move, Hear Words.

A group of executives of various companies and numerous other witnesses gathered. The witnesses were told to watch two cabinets about four feet high.

Soon there was action. There were pictures of people moving. They talked. You could see their lips moving and hear the words they said. One man was smoking a cigarette. The smoke curling up from the cigarette could be seen. His comments were heard easily.

The test was made in three different homes and in each home the result was the same.

The tests brought enthusiastic praise from the witnesses. David Sarnoff of the Radio Corporation was among the crowd.

"Broadcasting of television now seems clear," he said. "We will develop it so that eventually not only sound but sight through radio broadcasting will be available in every home."

To Supplement Present System.

He said such a system would by no means interfere with the present radio, but would supplement the already known systems.

The broadcasting of sound in yesterday's test was done on the normal wave length of station WGY, 379.5 meters. Vision was sent on a short wave length of 37.8 meters.

The receiver for vision differs from the ordinary short wave receiver in that it converts the waves into light instead of sound. The elements of the receiver are a light source, a scanning device and a synchronizing system.

The amplifier of the light waves is substantially the same as that used in a loud speaker. The amplified current is delivered to the lamp, which responds to the fluctuations of the light in tensity, just as the diaphragms of a loud speaker reproduce the pulsations of the sound waves.

18 Revolutions a Second.

A disc, 24 inches in diameter and with 48 holes, is placed in front of the lamp and revolves at such a speed that 18 revolutions are made in a second. Each of the holes pass each other and trace successive lines of the picture. This is done so speedily, however, that to the eye it appears exactly the same as an image on the screen.

The receiver for the television is greatly similar to the regular radio receiver.

GOT READ WANT ADS RESULTS

Won't Let President Stop Naval Building

House Committee Amends Bill to Provide for Five-Year Limit, With No Suspensions

Washington, Jan. 14—The house naval affairs committee took issue today with President Coolidge in mapping out legislation for a naval building program.

It voted to amend the bill submitted by the administration so as to provide a five-year limit for the building program. It also eliminated the provision allowing the President to suspend the program, in whole or in part, at any time he desires.

Only one of the 16 members present at the meeting today voted against eliminating the provision allowing the President to suspend the program. This was Representative McClintock, Democrat, Oklahoma, who said the action "looks like a slap in the face for the President."

Fifty Years Ago

(Taken from the Nodaway Democrat, January 10, 1878).

The roads are getting better and trade is beginning to look up.

The firm of Waterman & Nash was dissolved on Thursday, J. C. Waterman retiring from the business.

Train No. 13 Saturday had twenty cars of stock for Chicago and fourteen cars of dead freight, making a train of thirty-four cars from Maryville.

The Maryville cornet band has secured the services of Prof. M. H. Alderman of Savannah.

Fred McMackin, son of C. S. McMackin, Esq., is now in the employe of Baker, Saunders & Co., as bookkeeper. Sam Heyser whom he succeeded, has gone to St. Joseph and is now in the employe of the wholesale grocery house of Turner, Frazer & Co.

On last Tuesday evening about dark a runaway occurred near Dr. Talbott's residence from which Dr. Samuel Dunn and Miss Olivia Talbott both received quite serious injuries.

James Gatton of this city, sustained some injuries by being run over by a wagon, west of town, about dusk on last Thursday evening. He was walking in the road coming toward his home when he was overtaken by a team and wagon being driven quite fast. Mr. Gatton being rather hard of hearing, it is probable he did not know that the wagon was coming until it almost was upon him. He then attempted to get out of the way but was not quick enough and the result was he was run over, one of the hind wheels passing over his left leg. The parties in the wagon made no halt, but drove on.

B. A. Dunn, collector, reported to the town council the amount of taxes collected in the month of December: Personal, $157.42; real estate, $414.55; total, $571.97. The marshal was authorized to procure a baseburner heating stove for the council heating room not to exceed $25 in price.

The following is a list of the elective and appointed officers of the various Masonic lodges of the county for the ensuing year, installed on the 27th of December.

Maryville lodge, No. 165—Jas. I. George, W. M.; Ed. McMillan, S. W.; C. A. Anthony, J. W.; Frank Ridgeway, treasurer; W. E. Wright, secretary; Theo. L. Jones, tyler; L. M. Lane, S. D.; Knox James, J. D.; Jas. Monier, S. S.; M. H. Cox, J. S.

Nodaway Lodge, No. 47.—Am. H. Hudson, W. M.; James Todd, S. W.; W. H. Totterdale, J. W.; N. W. Charles, secretary; John C. Terhune, treasurer; George Conrad, tyler; H. A. Avery, S. D.; Amon Curfman, J. D.; Adolph Lippman, S. S.; Cyrus Terhune, J. S. The officers of the two above lodges were installed by Past Master A. P. Morehouse, Past Master, John Grems, acting as conductor.

White Cloud lodge, No. 301 at Barnard.—John W. Houghtaling, W. M.; J. A. Jamerson, S. W.; Amos Baker, J. W.; A. W. Bear, treasurer; C. M. Meyers, secretary; J. W. Heath, S. D.; V. Korell, J. D.; J. A. Hall, chaplain; Charles Davis, S. S.; Alfred Baker, J. S.; H. H. Snodderly, tyler.

Guilford lodge No. 474.—J. P. Davis, W. M.; W. J. Beggs, S. W.; H. G. Richards, J. W.; A. S. McClanahan, treasurer; B. L. Cook, secretary; T. H. Brittain, S. D.; Joseph Akers, J. D.; Rev. J. S. Gleaves, chaplain; W. J. Whiteford, S. S.; J. W. Brittain, J. S.; John Lanning, tyler.

Kennedy lodge No. 329 at Lamar Station.—John M. Lamar, W. M.; Alex Gray, S. W.; John Brown, J. W.; T. J. Scott, treasurer; L. P. Colvin, secretary; S. J. Russell, S. E.; W. R. Davis, tyler.

Xenia lodge No. 50 at Hopkins.—A. C. Kennedy, W. M.; J. L. Anderson, S. W.; E. C. Wolfers, J. W.; H. McCoy, treasurer; T. W. Porter, secretary; J. Myers and H. M. Austin, stewarts, and M. A. Hamm, tyler.

Graham lodge No. 112.—James J. Linville, W. M.; P. M. Paschal, S. W.; C. H. Talbot, J. W.; T. L. Martin, treasurer; Isaac Morton, secretary; T. J. Hayzlett, S. D.; W. H. Smock, J. D.; James McCullar and J. W. Sandifer, stewards; Peter Kelley, tyler.

Quitman lodge No. 196.—C. Algoe, W. M.; Theo. Pifer, S. W.; J. M. Wilson, J. W.; W. H. Frankum, secretary; Wm. Woods, treasurer; H. M. McKinzie, tyler; David Woods, S. D.; S. L. Hargrave, J. D.; George Albright and James Logan, stewards.

Pickering lodge No. 472.—Wm. M. Wallis, W. M.; E. VanBuren, S. W.; J. C. Pistole, J. W.; Wm. Pistole, treasurer; J. W. Hartman, secretary; W. F. Sturgil, tyler; James Meeks, S. D.; James Storms, J. D.; H. H. Harmon, S. S.; A. J. Woods, J. S.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

The residence of F. W. Crow caught fire at five o'clock Tuesday morning from a defective grate. The fire boys succeeded in putting out the fire before it could gain much headway or otherwise the building would have been destroyed.

The Republican County Committee will meet in Maryville at the office of Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison at 1:30 o'clock January 22. The call was made by the secretary of the committee, J. S. Shinabargar. W. D. Bishop, the chairman of the committee, has moved to Kansas City and a new chairman will probably be elected at the meeting next Wednesday.

The Copus Club in its third annual election elected Cleve Funk, president; Si Briggs, vice-president; Walter S. Todd, treasurer; and Ralph Marcell, secretary. The board of managers consists of Lawrence Ray, F. M. Townsend and George Herren.

Plans for the Chautauqua to be held in Maryville this summer are fast maturing. An effort is being made to get William H. Taft and William Jennings Bryan to come.

George Robb Ellison has joined the firm of Shinabargar and Blagg under the name of Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison. Mr. Ellison was admitted to the bar of this county in August, 1904, and has had his office with these attorneys ever since.

Father Niemann has presented to the public library a set of the "Library of the World's Orations," by Justice David Brewer.

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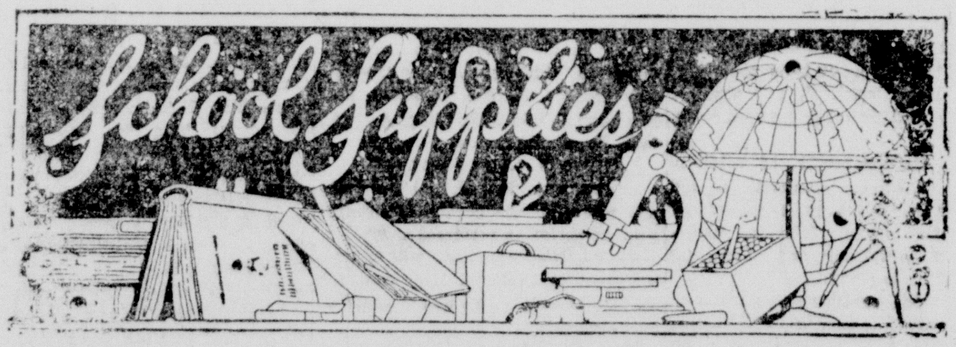

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SOCIETY

Wilcox Club Meets.

Mrs. George Walker was hostess to the Wilcox Club Thursday at her home near Ravenwood. The roll call was answered with ways to prepare pork, and the afternoon was spent in songs and various demonstrations. Members and guests present were: Mrs. Larry Martin, Mrs. Lawrence Wilcox, Mrs. Varvel Wilcox, Mrs. Mark Heflin, Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Frank Meyer and daughter, Marcella, Mrs. Will Boedecker and the hostess.

Give Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guthrie had as their guests Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Noland of King City. They also entertained for dinner Thursday. Their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Nolan and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cook and son, Melvin, Mrs. John Lockhart and Mrs. Dora Vert, Maryville; and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Guthrie and son, Garman V. Guthrie.

Bloomfield Club.

The regular meeting of the Bloomfield Needlework Club met at the home of Mrs. Clay Moody Thursday afternoon. Roll call was answered by Aunt Het's sayings. The afternoon was spent in piecing quilt blocks for the hostess. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lee Birkenholz. Those present were: Mrs. S. A. Neidel, Mrs. Arthur Wray, Mrs. Martin Carmichael, Mrs. Marion Carmichael and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Mrs. Ed Hanna and sons, Mrs. Vilas McClurg, Mrs. Joe Lamport, Mrs. Lee Birkenholz, Mrs. Sam Burks, Mrs. John Bosch, Mrs. Burleigh Swalley, Mrs. Allen Burks and sons, Mrs. B. C. Clayton, Miss Mamie McClurg, Miss Nannie and Della McNeal.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. A. Neidel, January 26. Roll call will be answered by riddles or jokes.

Shower for Miss Jaeger.

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Fisher Mercer Wednesday afternoon for Miss Margaret Jaeger who will be married to Mr. Henry Shaefer next Tuesday morning at St. Mary's Church. Refreshments of cake, pickles, sandwiches and coffee were served. Those present were: Mrs. Ira Eisenman, Mrs. Fred Steins and son, Donald, Mrs. A. B. Stiens, Mrs. Henry Jaeger, Mrs. Duff and children, Mrs. J. M. Conley, Mrs. Fred Wallace, Mrs. Hubert Walk, Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman, Mrs. Hubert Wilmes, Mrs. John Wallace, Mrs. Lee Haigwood, Mrs. Perry Earwood, Mrs. T. F. Tallon, Mrs. Wash Mercer, Mrs. A. C. Kimmet, Mrs. Russel Smock, Mrs. Henry Smock, Mrs. W. A. Watkins, Mrs. Charles Albaugh and son, Mrs. Anna Marsh, Mrs. Dale Marsh; Misses Della Watkins, Katherine Mercer, Minnie Jaeger, Teresa Jaeger, Mary Tallon, LoMeta Nelson, Bernadine Jaeger, Margaret Jaeger, Mina Armstrong, Wilma Jackson; and Henry Jaeger, Fisher Mercer, Alvis Jaeger, Omer Lee Haigwood, Junior Kimmet.

Bloomdale Club.

The Bloomdale W. W. Club met Thursday with Mrs. Leland McKee for an all-day meeting. The members quilted a quilt and tacked a comfort. Dinner was served to the following guests and members: Mrs. Charles Pistole, Mrs. John Morris and daughter, Lucille, Mrs. Will Potts, Mrs. Will Lett, Mrs. Bert Oliphant, Mrs. Clair Conley, Mrs. Harold Hinton and son, Herbert, Mrs. Tom Lattimer, Mrs. Forrest Hinton and daughter Wilma Jean, Mrs. Albert Hinton, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Orville Gray, Mrs. Edmond Harvey, Mrs. Bart Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hood and Mr. and Mrs. Leland McKee and son, Garold.

The members decided to have a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Will Potts and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gray, who are leaving the neighborhood.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bert Oliphant, January 26.

Members asked to take their gifts for the birthday bag.

For New Mexico Visitor.

Mrs. Olevia Addy Paris of Artesia, New Mexico, formerly of Parnell, was guest of honor at an afternoon gathering of friends at the home of Mrs. J. F. LaFavor, yesterday. Mrs. LaFavor was assisted by Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. W. A. Spoonemore and Mrs. H. Day in serving a delicious luncheon consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee.

Those present were: Mrs. Chester Logan, Mrs. W. F. Kennedy, Mrs. Fred Breit, Mrs. Julia Jones, Miss Getha Conrad, Mrs. Charles Evans, Mrs. G. T. Logan, Mrs. J. H. Hutchison, Mrs. J. S. Matteson, Mrs. H. Day, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. W. A. Spoonemore, Mrs. B. A. Jones, Mrs. George Felton and Miss Pauline Jones.

The out-of-town guests were: Mrs. E. E. Yetter of Grant City, Mrs. W. J. Dowis and daughters, Betty Lee and Roberta June of Sheridan, the guest of honor, Mrs. R. L. Paris of Artesia, New Mexico, and the hostess, Mrs. J. F. LaFavor.

Mrs. Paris arrived in Maryville shortly after Christmas to visit her mother, Mrs. J. B. Matteson, and is making an extended visit here.

B. B. Club.

Mrs. Marion Ripley was hostess at an all day meeting of the B. B. Club at her home at 304 South Market street yesterday. A cafeteria dinner was served at noon. The afternoon was spent in discussing business matters. The officers for the ensuing six months were elected: re-elected president, Mrs. Mike Baker; vice-president, Mrs. Marion Ripley; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Frank Gray; assistant secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Nettie Warren; and corresponding secretary, Miss Roberta Kingery. The annual secretary's report was given. Plans were completed for the annual oyster supper to be given by the men for their wives and families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carr on January 20. Those drawing gifts from the birthday bag were, Mrs. Marion Ripley and Miss Nellie Cox. Those present were: Mrs. D. S. Moody and daughter, Virginia Lee, Mrs. Albert Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Ripley and children, Harold, Donald and Doris, Mrs. Mike Baker, Mrs. Frank Gray; Mrs. Nettie Warren, Mrs. Glen Anderson and son, Jerry, Mrs. John Erickson, Mrs. Don Kingery, Miss Nellie Cox, Mrs. F. C. Kelley, DeLoris Kingery, Marion Ripley and the hostess.

The next all day meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Orville Ripley on January 26 at her home south of Maryville.

Lyle Community Club.

Members of the Lyle Community Club met with Mrs. Eddie Johnson, Wednesday afternoon. A comfort was tacked for the hostess. A business session was held and at that time the club motto was selected: "We Belong to the Construction Gang, Not the Wrecking Crew." A short program consisting of two games and a contest was enjoyed by all. The hostess drew a present from the birthday box. Dainty refreshments of fruit salad with whipped cream, cake and coffee were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Richard Maurer, to the following members: Mrs. Frank Lyle, Mrs. Sam Lyle, Mrs. Hugh Lyle, Mrs. Byron Estes and daughter, Betty, Mrs. Bernice McNeal, Mrs. Ed Goodpasture, Mrs. Clyde Goodpasture, Mrs. Peter Maurer, Mrs. Otis Brown and children, Velma, Laverne and Bonnie June, Mrs. Frazier Noblet and children, Dick, Don and David Lloyd, Mrs. Ray Mowry and Mrs. Irvin Acklin. On Wednesday, Jan. 25, the members will hold an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Sam Lyle. The roll call will be answered with healthful household hints.

Bridge For Mrs. Lee Meek.

Mrs. C. G. Vogt and Mrs. Dean Blagg entertained at two tables of bridge this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vogt, 419 West Third street, complimentary to Mrs. Lee Meek, a recent bride. A pink and white color scheme was carried out in the appointments. The refreshments were served at the dining table, on which a centerpiece of pink sweet peas was arranged. Pink candles in crystal sticks were used. The nut cups and tally cards also were pink. Among the guests present were: Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Mrs. O. K. Bovard, Mrs. LeGrand Gann, Mrs. Virgil Rathbun, Mrs Francis Barmann, Miss Mabel Cook and Miss Mary Carpenter.

Bridge Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Heifner, East Fourth street, entertained at bridge last night. Donald Bellows of Minneapolis, Minn., made high score. The game was played at three tables.

Guild to Meet.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night with Miss Dessa Gault. Miss Nena Bingaman will be assisting hostess. Dr. Ethel Saxman will be the program leader.

Miscellaneous Supper.

It was decided to give a miscellaneous supper and hold a social evening by members of the Wilcox Rebekah lodge, at the regular meeting of the lodge last night when 26 members were present.

Homemakers Meet.

The Homemakers Club of the Methodist Church South, met at the home of Mrs. M. A. Peery yesterday afternoon with Mrs. John Dawson and Mrs. E. W. Heideman as assisting hostesses. Mrs. Peery, the president, presided at the business meeting. It was decided that the women of the church will hold a rummage sale January 31 in the social service rooms of the church in the basement of the South Methodist apartments. The meeting closed with the obligation in concert led by Mrs. Perry. The remainder of the afternoon was spent doing needlework. The hostess assisted by her daughters, Mrs. John Arthur Noid and Miss Louise Peery, served refreshments. Eighteen members and the following visitors were present: Mrs. Noid, Miss Bertha Beal, Miss Peery, and Mrs. John D. Fanning of Conway, Ia., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Guy Griffith.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. M. E. Farrar with Mrs. R. A. Mitchell and Mrs. J. H. Thorp as assisting hostesses.

Successful Club.

Members of the Successful Club met with Mrs. Phoebe Linville, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Leona Linville, the president, opened the meeting. A song, "Higher Ground, opened the meeting. The singing was followed by the Lord's Prayer. Roll call was answered with New Year's resolutions. Plans for the year's program were discussed and the by-laws were read. Each member is to take a birthday gift to the next meeting of the organization. A general committee composed of these club members was appointed: Mrs. Willa Goslee, Mrs. Lena Pfeiffer and Mrs. Ethel Turpin. Here is the program committee named: Mrs. Beulah Yahrmark, Mrs. Phoebe Linville and Mrs. Neva Money.

Those present at the meeting were: Mrs. Sarah Strickler, Mrs. Mary Pfeiffer, Mrs. Ivan Stafford, Mrs. Beulah Yahrmark, Mrs. Lena Pfeiffer, Mrs. Gertrude Mitchell, Mrs. Viva Adams, Mrs. Willa Goslee, Mrs. Leona Linville, Mrs. Mary Linville, Mrs. Ethel Turpin, Mrs. Fanny Peter, Mrs. Neva Money, Mrs. Susie Peter and Miss Osie Shell. One visitor, Mrs. Stratford Saunders was present.

The next session will be held with Mrs. Goldie Wells, January 26.

Independence Industrial Club.

Mrs. Clifford Edwards was hostess to the Independence Industrial Club Wednesday afternoon. The members embroidered tea towels. Two visitors were present at the meeting, Mrs. Lloyd Simpson and Miss Mildred Simpson. Members present were: Mrs. Oll Gregory, Mrs. Sarah Edwards, Mrs. Marion Crawford, Mrs. Glenn Thomas, Mrs. Edward Gray and two daughters, Iola and Theda, Mrs. Clark Gray and Mrs. Gaylord Reynolds. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Sarah Edwards will be hostess to the club members February 1.

Discuss Missourians.

Marion Talley and Lindbergh were the Missourians under discussion at the meeting of the Skidmore Study Club which met at the home of Miss Lora Stultz, Thursday afternoon. Roll call was answered with interesting facts about Missouri. Miss Nita Worl talked on Marion Talley. Mrs. Otis Kennedy talked on Lindbergh and was assisted on the discussion by Mrs. Olive Cowan. Mrs. Harry Hoblitzell paid tribute to Lindbergh. Mrs. Howard Manning and Mrs. Laura Littler sang "There Will Be No Night There." Miss Hortense Groves sang a lullaby. She was accompanied by Mrs. Alice Groves. A piano selection was given by Rolland Stahr Bodle. Mrs. Pearl Fullerton and Mrs. Beulah Armstrong gave a piano duet. Mrs. Hoblitzell and Mrs. Cowan were guests of the club. Fourteen members were present.

For Ruth McElwee.

Members of the Junior High School and Mrs. Ross Wallace of Clearmont gave a farewell party for Ruth McElwee in the high school auditorium last night. The guest of honor leaves soon to make her home in the country.

Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Akars, Miss Irene Pence, Mrs. John Smith, Helen Irene Dew, Iris Helen Gregory, Elaine Rogers, Arella Garten, Lila Gray, Enid Gray, Walter, Newlon, Harry Green Donald Broyles, Dorothy Brownfield, Charles Rogers.

Mt. Pleasant Meeting.

The Mt. Pleasant Industrial Art Club held an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. John Harrington, Thursday. A cafeteria dinner was served at noon. The day was spent quilting. The members present were: Mrs. Purl Pence who presided at the business meeting in the absence of the president; Mrs. John Harrington, Mrs. Lowell Gray and daughter, Mrs. Loch Gray, Mrs. Ed Wiley, Mrs. Floyd Alexander and daughter, Mrs. Ervin Neal and son, Mrs. Loren Hackett, Mrs. Fred Neil, Mrs. Will Hanna, Mrs. Marion Gray, Mrs. Joe Farrar, Mrs. Charles Stafford, Mrs. George Burch. Visitors were Mrs. Floyd Chambers and son, Mrs. Burley Gray, Mrs. Burt Hogue and daughter, LeVern, Mrs. John Sexton, Mrs. Hattie Edwards, Mrs. Heber Michaelson, Mrs. Basil Michaelson, and children, John Harrington and Frank Burch.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Ervin Loch January 26. Roll call will be answered with "your baby picture."

Chicago Cubs Would Like to Have Hornsby

Possibility He May Be Acquired From Boston Is Not Denied by Club's President.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Possibility that Rogers Hornsby, premier second baseman of the National League, would come to the Chicago Cubs from Boston was discussed in Chicago baseball circles today.

President William Vleck of the Cubs, although refusing to confirm reports he was seeking Hornsby, lent credence to the rumors by saying:

"The Cubs will make any deal possible to strengthen the team."

The cub infield was seriously crippled by the loss of Earl Adams, diminutive second baseman, traded to Pittsburgh in exchange for Hazen "Kiki" Cuyler. The Cubs need a man of Hornsby's talent in the infield if they are to make a serious pennant fight this summer, but they are short of utility men to trade for Hornsby. It is understood, however, that Veeck is prepared to offer a large financial bait for Hornsby.

The Cubs last summer broke the world's record for attendance and are said to be willing to spend considerable of their huge earnings in an effort to build a winning team.

Fighting With Rebels Reported in Mexico

Mexico City, Jan. 14.—A vigorous engagement, in which a number of casualties were reported, occurred between rebel troops and federals in the state of Jalisco Thursday, according to the newspaper, El Universal Grafico. The battle lasted almost two hours, the report said.

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- New four-wheel brakes.
- Thermostat control cooling system.
- New alloy "invar strut" pistons.
- New instrument panel indirectly lighted.
- New ball bearing worm and gear steering.
- Semi-elliptic shock absorber springs; 84 per cent of wheelbase.
- Safety gasoline tank at rear.
- Larger balloon tires 30" x 4.50".
- New streamline bodies by Fisher.
- New Duco colors.
- Theft-proof steering and ignition lock.
- A. C. oil filter.
- A. C. air cleaner.
- Single-plate dry disc-clutch.
- New crankcase breathing system.
- New two port exhaust.
- Heavy one-piece full-crown fenders.
- Alemite pressure lubrication.
- Vacuum tank fuel supply.
- Improved Delco-Remy distributor ignition.
- Combination tail and stop light.
- Large 17" steering wheel with spark and throttle levers located on top.
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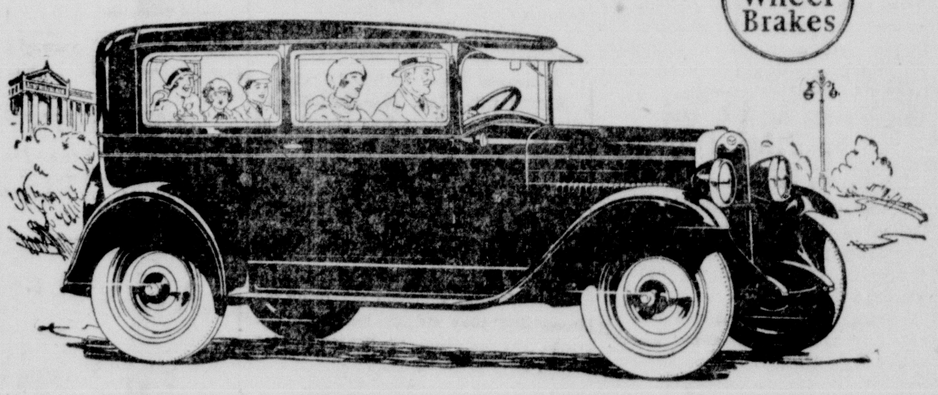

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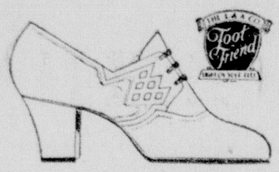

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Tom Mix, "TUMBLING RIVER"
Serial—"The Golden Stallion." Fox Comedy.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—
Dynamite, the Wonder Dog, in
"WOLF'S TRAIL"
Paramount News. Ko Ko Cartoons.

WOMEN HERE TAKE HAND AT BOWLING

Great Variety of Form Shown; One Tries Kicking the Ball; Knocks 6 Pins.

Last night a number of women of Maryville took advantage of the invitation to bowl at the G. M. C. Bowling Alley. Nearly twenty women were at the bowling parlor for practice.

Many strikes and spares were made but many of the balls rolled down the alleys only to fall in the "gutter." A great variety of form was shown by the women. Many threw a good strong straight ball but most were of the "curve" variety. One lady held the ball high in her hand took several short steps to the foul line and then stopped and laid the ball down to let it roll. On one occasion she dropped the ball, it hit her foot and she kicked it. The ball took a wabbly course and knocked down six pins.

Most of the women showed that they were not experienced bowlers, but a few showed that they had practiced and played before last night.

Another night for women will be held soon.

Chest Clinic Held in County Health Rooms

Many Persons Take Advantage of Presence of Specialist From St. Joseph.

A chest clinic was being conducted today at the office of the Nodaway County Health Department, to which many persons came for examination.

The clinic was conducted by Dr. E. M. Shores and Miss Nadine Anderson, nurse, of the Noyes hospital, St. Joseph, who were assisted by the staff of the Nodaway County Health Department.

Dr. Shores was accompanied here by his daughter, Miss Thelma Shores.

The clinics are made possible through the Christmas Seal campaigns of the Nodaway County Tuberculosis Association.

Probate Court Appointments.

Byron C. Sowers of Clearmont was appointed administrator of the estate of Ruel Kinman, Clearmont, who died December 18. The appointment was made by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

Fay H. Casteel of Ravenwood was appointed executor of the estate of Mrs. Eliza Curry who died January 2.

Mrs. Eunice Parr, Mrs. Carl Wray and Mrs. T. Medsker of Guilford were Maryville visitors Thursday.

Absent 45 Years; Returns to County

J. J. Hepburn of Canada Visiting Hotchkin Family Here.—Doesn't Mind Cold.

After an absence of forty-five years, J. J. Hepburn of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, has returned to Nodaway County and at present is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin. Mrs. Hotchkin is a cousin. He has been visiting with his uncle, Jim Hepburn near Hopkins.

Mr. Hepburn worked for the late Frank Shoemaker, at the Valley House, near the Burlington Station, before going to Canada, where he is now engaged in farming.

"The temperature often gets down to 40 degrees below zero there," he said, "but I don't mind it as much as the damp cold experienced here the first of the year," he said.

Laverne Reynolds Suffers Broken Arm

Laverne Reynolds, 16 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Reynolds of tween Clearmont and Pickering, suffered a broken right arm this week when a cow forced him against the wall of the barn at his home. The breaks were near and in the wrist. He is getting along very nicely.

Hickman and Hunt to Trial Together

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 14.—Although they are reported antagonistic toward each other, Edward Hickman and Welby Hunt must prepare a joint defense for their trial for the murder of Ivy Thoms, a druggist.

Hunt asked for a severance granting him a separate trial, because "odium" attached to Hickman's murder of 12-year-old Marion Parker would exert an influence against him, but a judge overruled his request.

The joint trial was set for February, directly after Hickman's trial for the Parker murder.

Withdraws From Law Firm.

Arthur Miller, of Kansas City, formerly of Maryville and a brother of Mrs. Fred P. Robinson of this city, has withdrawn from the law firm of Miller, Winger & Reeder of Kansas City. Mr. Miller will remain a practicing attorney and for the present will retain an office with the firm. Later David L. Sheffrey will become associated with him in a new office.

W. E. Gorton of Pickering was a business visitor here Thursday.

Big W. C. T. U. Rally Planned Next Month

Conference to Be Held in Kansas City on Dry Planks and Dry Candidates.

According to word received by Mrs. R. L. McDougal, county publicity director, Kansas City will be the scene of a two-day conference on "dry" planks and "dry" candidates, February 2 and 3 when the W. C. T. U. leaders and members from Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Iowa gather to perfect their plans for the pre-convention campaigns. The conference is one of a series to be held in one of eleven central cities, leading up to the concerted effort on the part of the W. C. T. U. and other woman's organizations to deliver a heavy dry vote in November.

Mrs. Nelle G. Burger, Springfield, Mo., president of the Missouri W. C. T. U. and assistant recording Secretary of the National W. C. T. U. will preside, and with her as co-leader will be Dr. Ella A. Boole, New York, N. Y., president of the National W. C. T. U.

Prohibition enforcement problems will be discussed by Sam S. Haley, federal prohibition commissioner for Kansas, Missouri and Southern Illinois and there will also be a speech by Charles M. Hay, of St. Louis on "Prohibition Can Be Enforced."

Coats Gives Hints to Poultry Breeders

Agriculture Instructor Says It is Necessary to Have Healthy Breeding Stock

"Many problems relative to feeding and management of hens in the breeding pens present themselves at this time of the year," Elmer R. Coats, instructor of vocational agriculture, said today and gave some hints which may be helpful to those engaged in the poultry business.

"To be successful in raising chickens it is necessary to have a healthy and vigorous breeding stock, for the lack of vigor in the newly hatched chicks often is traceable to weak parents," Mr. Coats commented. He said further:

"Only the most vigorous and the best grown birds should be put into the breeding yards. Each bird should be full of life and energy and free from any serious deformity. Yearling hens are usually better than pullets for breeders, for the reason that the hens are more mature, do not lay so many eggs during the early winter, and consequently do not reduce their vitality so much before the breeding season.

"Vigorous hens from 2 to 4 years old can often be advantageously retained in the breeding yards. The male bird chosen should be young and active. An early hatched, well-developed cockerel is usually satisfactory, or a good, vigorous yearling or 2-year old cock may be chosen.

"The hens used for breeding purposes should be given plenty of green feed and the best care possible. They should be provided with large runs and should not be forced for heavy egg production during the early winter."

Mr. Coats then told the number of female birds to be placed in a pen with one male. "Of the light, active breeds, such as Leghorns and Minorcas, one male will be sufficient for a pen of twelve to fifteen females under ordinary condition. In the case of medium-sized fowls, such as the Plymouth Rock and Wyandotte breeds, one male should be provided for every ten to twelve female birds."

President on Toward Cuba

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7 a. m.

Mexico to Take "Decided" Stand.

Mexico City, Jan. 14.—Mexico's attitude on the Nicaraguan question at the Havana Pan-American conference will be "virile and decided," the newspaper Excelsior today quoted government officials as saying.

It was said that Mexico's attitude would not be passive if the Nicaraguan or other political questions were raised. Nothing was said regarding the possibility that Mexico herself might raise the question of United States intervention in Nicaragua.

Graham Man Administrator.

R. H. Swank of Graham today was named administrator of the estate of Mary M. Bond, who died near Skidmore January 3, by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

Ad Council of Barnard was in town Thursday.

Mrs. M. E. Ford and Miss Mattie Dykes went to St. Joseph yesterday morning.

Ed Adams, superintendent of the Barnard schools, was visiting in Maryville today.

Ford is going to Ireland next summer. Probably he'll get a ride in the real thing.

Dr. Maxwell Head of Medical Society

Hopkins Physician Elected President at Meeting Last Night.—To Write History.

Dr. H. S. Maxwell of Hopkins was elected president of the Nodaway County Medical Society at the annual election held last night in the rooms of the County Health Department.

He succeeds Dr. Charles D. Humberd of Barnard. Dr. C. P. Fryer of Maryville was elected vice-president to succeed Dr. R. C. Person of Maryville, and Dr. Humberd was elected secretary-treasurer. He succeeds Dr. H. S. Dowell of Maryville. Dr. Humberd was also named as a delegate to the meeting of the state medication association. Dr. Maxwell was named as an alternate delegate to the state meetings.

Dr. L. E. Dean of Maryville was appointed to draft a history of the county society and money was appropriated for him to obtain a stenographer to assist him in his work.

The society made plans for educational and instructive lectures to attend meetings during 1928, which will be held on the second Friday of each month.

The Society ended the meeting with a dinner at Knox's Cafe.

Mrs. E. K. Lambert Addresses W. C. T. U.

County President Urges Examination of School Books for Inaccuracies About Prohibition.

Mrs. E. K. Lambert, county president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, addressed a meeting of the Maryville society Thursday afternoon. The speaker gave some of the high points from the state convention of the W. C. T. U. held at Poplar Bluffs last October.

Among the things urged by the president was the examination of text books used in the schools to see if there are any inaccurate statements concerning prohibition. If any are found, she asks that members call the attention of the Board of Education and ask the removal of the offending textbook.

A temperance course in the Daily Vacation Bible School held every summer was urged.

The Maryville W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting in the M. E. Church parlors, the second Wednesday in February, at 2 o'clock.

Cites "Lindy" As Example

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Diplomas Presented.

Miss Bonnie Campbell delivered the valedictory.

Designating them as commissions of service, Mrs. C. P. Fryer, member of the Board of Education, presented Beverly Martin, president of the class with her diploma, and she in turn presented the rest of the class members with their diplomas.

A large picture of "The Coliseum" has been ordered and has been presented to the school as the gift of the 1928 class. This picture will be placed in the hall. Erman Barrett, president of the spring class, accepted the gift on the behalf of the school.

The Rev. W. S. Woodhull, pastor of the First M. E. Church, gave the invocation.

The fourteen members of the class who received their diplomas and were graduated from the high school last night were:

Tama Carlson, Bonnie Campbell, Walter Doss, John Dooley, Jessie DeMott, Edward Dietz, Frank Fisher, Ray Keever, Glen Litsch, Beverly Martin, Charmion Murray, Curtis New, Neola Smith, and Kenneth Swinford.

R. L. Rice of Nodaway County sold hogs on the St. Joseph market yesterday.

Called by Father's Illness.

Miss Martha James of Jefferson City arrived at noon today, called by the serious illness of her father, J. E. James.

AUNT HET

"I know a lot o' dumb women, but ever' one o' 'em has got sense enough to agree with what her husband says an' keep him thinkin' she's smart."

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Mrs. Neva B. Caskey Is Granted Divorce

Man Charged Recently With Non-Support Also Must Pay $40 Alimony Other Minor Orders

An uninteresting session of circuit court was held this morning, the sixth day of the January session, with only a few orders made by the presiding officer, Judge John M. Dawson.

The court awarded Mrs. Neva B. Caskey, north of Burlington Junction, a divorce from Gale Caskey, a miner in the Quitman coal mine, on the grounds of indignities. Caskey had been held here by county officers for non-support of a son, but released on the plea of his wife, after he had sought a reconciliation.

However, the testimony showed the same situation existing as before his confinement and Mrs. Caskey brought suit for divorce. Alimony of $40 a month, payable in advance and starting January 1, also was ordered by the court, which gave custody of a 9-year-old son, Oakley Andrew to his mother.

Other proceedings yesterday afternoon and today:

Verna Wilbur vs. Raymond Wilbur, divorce; a motion by the plaintiff to to require the defendant to pay attorney fees and costs of the suit was sustained and judgment of $50 made against the defendant.

Farmers State Bank of Ravenwood vs. J. D. Crawford, revive judgment, a continuance of the lien on judgment for three years ordered.

Allie A. Wood and Nancy C. Wood, and Annie Eastman vs. George B. McArthur, et al., quiet title, decree for plaintiff.

Mary S. Hall vs. Elizabeth Bangs, et al., partition, decree for partition by sale of lands by the sheriff.

United States government vs. Northwestern Bank, suit on liberty bonds, stricken from the docket.

The court allowed the preferred claim of T. J. Tobin against the Northwestern Bank of Burlington Junction in the amount of $2,500.

Into Semi-Finals of Burlington Tourney

Hopkins, Elmo, Rock Port and Burlington Junction Survive First Round of Basketball

The high school boys basketball teams of Hopkins and Elmo and Rock Port and Burlington Junction were playing in the semi-finals this afternoon of the Burlington Junction High School basketball tournament in the Service Battery Armory there.

Seven teams entered this morning, although eight had sent in entry lists. Graham failed to appear, defaulting to the Elmo five.

Three games were played this morning, all of which were rather slow, the coaches using their reserve material and saving the strength of their men for games later in the day.

The first game, called at 9 o'clock, was between Burlington Junction and Clearmont, the latter going down to defeat, 11 to 27.

Clearmont made things lively for Burlington Junction and kept pace with the entertaining team in the first half. However Manes and the Plummers were inserted, and then quickly ran up the score.

Hopkins defeated Ravenwood 13 to 5 in the second game of the morning. These two teams played last night and Hopkins appeared somewhat tired, but won easily. Ravenwood scored only one field basket.

Savannah, a team which had a hard game with Barnard last night, was defeated by Rock Port, 21 to 8, in the third game. This was the best of any of the three morning games.

The final game will be played at 8 o'clock tonight and a trophy will be awarded to the champion and the runnerup.

Three Horses Sent to Show at Denver

J. H. Tapp left yesterday afternoon for Denver, Colo., where three thoroughbred horses from the Pastime Stables of Maryville have been entered in the National Western Stock Show there next week.

The horses that were shipped were Peach Melba, The Plainsman, and King Boris.

Land Near Skidmore Transferred

Four warranty deeds were filed in the recorder's office this morning transferring title of tracts of land located about a mile and a half north of Skidmore from Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Linville to Aaron Linville; from Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Linville to W. R. Linville; from Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Linville to William S. Linville; and from William R. Linville to Aaron Linville.

O. K. Bovard was at Bedford, Ia., last night where he was a guest at a dinner given by Ed Crum.

W. C. Pierce returned last night from a few days' business trip to Boston, Mass.

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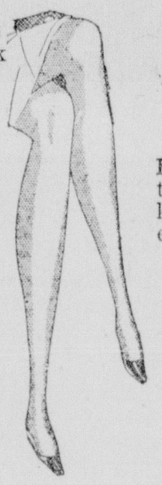

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1—1924 Ford Coupe, motor good, 5 brand new tires.

1—1924 Ford touring, new enamel finish, new top and curtains, motor extra good.

1—1923 Dodge Touring, good rubber, mechanically good.

1—1926 Overland Coupe, motor fine, finish like new.

2—Ford Roadsters; good.

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WILLYS-KNIGHTS — WHIPPETS

Present Radio Wave Lengths to Remain

Washington, Jan. 14.—Acting Chairman E. C. Sykes recommended to the federal radio commission today that present radio licenses and allocations stand until March 1.

It had been planned to make some station transfers and re-allocations tomorrow, but Sykes said a delay is necessary because failure of the Senate thus far to confirm three of the commission's four men deprives it of a quorum.

Former Resident of Clyde Dies in West

James P. O'Malley, a former resident of Clyde, died at St. Vincent's Hospital in Billings, Mont., January 2, after a week's illness of complications, following an attack of pneumonia. Mr. O'Malley left Clyde a number of years ago, locating in Lamar, Colo., then went to Billings, Mont., where he was engaged in the lumber and coal business for the past thirteen years.

Violin 700 Years Old Owned by Clyde Man

Our old friend, O. P. Bogart, of Clyde, made us a very pleasant call Monday morning. Mr. Bogart was 88 years old the 27th of October, last, is enjoying excellent health, and says that he expects to live to be a centenarian. He is a agreat lover of music, being the owner of a violin which, he informs us, is over seven hundred years old.—Conception Courier.

Here From Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Phares Sigler have as their guests Mrs. Sigler's mother, Mrs. J. W. Montgomery, and Mr. Sigler's mother, Mrs. C. W. Sigler, of Decatur, Ill.

Go To Savannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ripley and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Ripley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Harman at Savannah, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Todd of Guilford were here yesterday the guests of Mrs. Emma DeMoss. They came here to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Anna A. Todd.

Installs Officers at Bethany.

H. D. Snyder, senior vice-department commander of the United Spanish American War Veterans, went to Bethany last night where he installed the officers of the Hershel Stark Camp No. 30 of the United Spanish War Veterans and the officers of the woment's auxiliary. A supper was served after the installation, which was held in the circuit court room of the courthouse there.

AMUSEMENTS

Sunday

Missouri: "The Shepherd of The Hills," with Molly O'Day.

Monday

Electric: "Wolf's Trail," with Dynamite, the Wonder Dog.

Missouri: "The Shepherd of The Hills."

Tuesday

Missouri: "The Bugle Call," with Jackie Coogan.

Electric: "Wolf's Trail."

Wednesday

Electric: "The Bugle Call."

Missouri: "Pajamas," with Olive Borden.

Thursday

Missouri: "The Poor Nut," with Jack Mulhall and Charlie Murray.

Electric: "Pajamas."

Friday

Electric: "Code of The Range."

Missouri: "The Poor Nut."

Saturday

Missouri: "The Brute," with Monte Blue.

Electric: "Man's Fight," with Jack Perrin.

The ever popular novel of Harold Bell Wright's, "The Shepherd of The Hills," which has been read by fifty million persons, will show at the Missouri Theater Sunday and Monday. This is the bigger and better film version of the book with the settings taken in the Ozark regions. This picture is being sponsored by the Auxiliaries of Veteran's Association.

The celebrated juvenile star, Jackie Coogan, comes back to Maryville, in "The Bugle Call," a story of the Civil War days. This picture shows at the Missouri on Tuesday night and at the Electric theater Wednesday night.

Among the Schools of Nodaway County

P. T. A. PLANS MEN'S NIGHT

FATHERS URGED TO ATTEND MEETING NEXT WEEK.

"CITIZENSHIP" IS TOPIC

Men to Be in Charge and to Lead Discussion.—Counts in Attendance Contest.

Holding that fathers are as much "parents" as mothers, the Washington school circle Parent-Teacher Association will hold a night meeting next Thursday in the auditorium of the Maryville high school, and fathers and any other men interested are expected to attend.

Men will be in charge of the program.

The P. T. A. gives a picture to the room at school which has the largest percentage of parents attending the meetings, and attendance at the meeting Thursday night will count heavily.

Herbert Dieterich, principal of the high school, and Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, will lead a discussion on "Citizenship."

L. E. Ziegler, superintendent of schools, will be in charge of the meeting. There will be some special music by one of the High school musical organizations and a musical reading will be given by Edna Belle Welborn.

The regular business meeting will be held.

Burlington Junction P. T. A. Meets Tuesday

Program in Charge of Men.—Four Thrift Talks to Be Given.—Male Quartet on Program.

The men of Burlington Junction will be in charge of the program of the Parent-Teachers Association when the January meeting is held at the high school building at Burlington Junction on next Tuesday evening. "Thrift," is to be the general theme. In addition to four talks on the subject, a male quartet is to furnish some numbers.

The speakers and their subjects follow:

"Thrift in the School," Edwin Lewis; "Thrift Education of the Child at Home," J. B. Haan; "Conservation of Foods and Other Supplies," C. K. Thompson; "Giving Money for Charity," the Rev. S. A. Wanless.

Various Activities at Knabb School

Geography and Agriculture Classes Have Projects.—Advance Better Health Habits.

KNABB—After a week's vacation we returned to school ready to settle down to hard work. Our new quarter's work has proved very interesting.

New Year's pictures were displayed upon our bulletin board yast week.

Various literature has been sent as an aid in our Geography and Agriculture work.

The B Geography class has planned a map of the United States which was started this week. This map will have the various products grown in each particular state represented by samples of these products. This will help to get a more definite idea what is grown in each section of the United States.

The A agriculture class has started its project on "Soils".

Some of the A class pupils have already completed their outside readings. Perhaps some "New Year's Resolutions have been made."

Many new games have been learned and played, both outdoor and indoor.

Our Health Crusade leaflets are entirely filled. Our records show an improvement in our health habits. Another feature of our health work is that each week we have a "doctor" to inspect each pupil. Each takes his turn in being the "doctor." The following points are inspected—clean hands and fingernails, clean handkerchief and tidy desks. This report is recorded each day and handed in at the end of the week. We have been striving for a perfect record. Benjamin Willhoyte was "doctor" last week.

Our literary club held its meeting at the usual time last Friday. The new officers were installed for the remaining of the term.

They are: President, Lloyd Logan; vice-president, Vivian Hall; secretary, Lela Hardisty.

Roll call was answered by New Year's resolutions. If each is carried out we will have a better school.

"The Observance of New Year's in the Different Countries," was told by Lela Hardisty.

Essay "On Good Resolutions," Vivian Hall.

"Joan of Arc," (her birthday was January 6) by Lloyd Logan.

"Quotations for January" Violet Norman.

The improvements made at our school last week were new sash curtains, a new stove and the floor oiled.

Alva Junior Hardisty did not attend school last week on account of illness. Mrs. Elmer Birkenholz spent last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Alva Hardisty.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hall and daughters were entertained at a watch party by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White.

Seven Scudder Pupils Make High Grades

SCUDDER—The pupils who are the highest in each of the grades are, Raymond Coffelt, eighth grade; Ruth Espey seventh, grade; Everett Owens, sixth grade; Alice Jones, fourth grade; Trevis Wyatt, third grade; Helen Purviance, second grade; and Hubert Gatton, first grade.

Charles Espey was absent from school Monday.

The sixth, seventh, and eighth grades grades took their new type examinations Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Harold Ripley was absent from school Friday and Monday afternoon.

The Elementary Science class is now studying the book "How we Fed."

A test was given on reading Thursday morning. The one who had the best grades were Ruth Espey and Burnetta Purviance.

Mrs. Ed Russell went to Bedford, Ia., to visit Mrs. R. B. Kent and family for a few days.

Miss Mildred and Wilma Coffelt spent Sunday afternoon with Hazel and Virginia Lee Moody.

Mary Beatrice Sherlock is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Albert Carr, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Russell and Misses Esther and Rebecca Russell, Zelma Pird, and Pete Russell, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Moody and daughters, Hazel and Virginia Lee.

Mrs. Ellsworth of Quitman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert Carr, for a few days.

Mid-Year Graduates Dispose of Class Valuables in Will

The following last will and testament was drawn up by the mid-year graduating class of the Maryville High School and read at the class day exercises Thursday morning:

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the midyear 1928 senior class, sound in mind and body but realizing that we must make our departure, do make, publish and declare this to be our last will and testament, thereby revoking all former wills by us made.

1. We direct that all our just debts be fully paid out of the first money coming into the hands of our hereinafter named executor as soon after our passing as possible.

2. We give, devise and bequeath to the beginning seniors the privileges of the dignified advanced seniors, and further give them the front row in the center section, which are the seats of honor. May they uphold this dignity with all seriousness and gravity endeavoring to realize its vast importance in spite of their natural light mindedness and irresponsibility.

3. We give to Principal Dieterich, one gold crown, as he has been a king during our association; also the chewing gum on the seats providing he runs around the schoolhouse twenty-five times in the presence of the Mayor, Chief of Police, and Dog Catcher.

4. We give to the beloved Coach Croy the right to spend his week-ends in Grant City, and may his conscience be his guide.

5. To Miss Hawkins we give the right to extend her motherly love to all and dress as a flapper if she so desires.

8. To Mr. Lockhart we leave all unusable pencils and paper.

7. To our beloved faculty, we leave all the amazing knowledge and startling information that we have furnished them from time to time in our various examinations.

8. We leave to the football team of next year the abilities of Curtis New and John Dooley. We couldn't induce Walter Dow to surrender his.

9. To all future class presidents we give Beverly Martin's ability to convince Mr. Dieterich of the said president's unerring judgment.

10. To anybody who needs it, we give Kenneth Swinford's bluff. Apply early and avoid the rush.

11. We leave all chewing gum not hitherto mentioned to Miss Northcutt who is making a collection of old relics.

12. To Miss Quell, we leave Beverly Martin's musical ability. Music hath charm to soothe the savage beast.

13. To Billy Garrett, we give the right to grow up.

14. We give to Junior Gray one bottle of castor oil, to be used for the sole and only purpose of keeping his hair slick.

15. We give Miss Messick all cookies found at the Bee Hive Shoe Store.

16. We leave to Marry Appleman the right to smooth and comb Roland Russell's hair.

18. We leave to Geraldine Hunt and Erman Barrett the first two seats in the first row.

19. To Mrs. Virgil Rathbun we give the right to censor all of Wallace Croy's jokes.

20. We give, devise and bequeath to Jimmy Houseman one box of chalk and thirty-six reams of test paper.

21. The residue and remainder of our property whatsoever kind or nature, and wheresoever situated, we give, devise and bequeath to the junior class to share, and share alike.

22. We hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint Will Rogers, executor of this, our last will and testament and ask that he be allowed to qualify without bond. Dated Maryville, Missouri, the 12th day of January, 1928.

The foregoing instrument was at the date signed and declared by the said mid-year 1928 senior class to be their last will and testament in the presence of us, who, at our request, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Calvin Coolidge (Frank Fisher)
Napoleon Bonaparte (Edward Dietz)
Moon Mullins (Kenneth Swinford)

Good Grades Made at Hickory Grove

HICKORY GROVE—The mid-term examinations proved to be very satisfactory. The best group of grades were made this quarter that have been made this year.

The following list gives those making the high grades.

Charles Blagg, 4 S's; 1 E.
Louise Lowrance, 3 S's;
Audrey Herron, 3 S's; 1 E.
Harold Gaddy, 3 S's; 1 E.
Geraldine Moore, 2 S's; 1 E.

The nice weather is giving us an opportunity to learn some new outdoor games and get plenty of fresh air.

Some new amendments were made with the beginning of the last semester. We have adopted the plan of having health inspections every morning, everyone get outdoors on nice days to play.

We are going to have a contest in health chores which is to last two weeks. At the close of the two weeks the losers will entertain the winners with a party.

The Health inspectors this week are Audrey Herron and Louise Lowrance.

B-4 Pupils, Franklin, Present a "Movie"

P. T. A. Members Hear Talk by L. E. Ziegler on Character Training in Childhood

The Franklin Circle, Parent-Teacher Association heard L. E. Ziegler, superintendent of schools, give a talk on "Character Training in Childhood," at the meeting of the circle at the school, Thursday. The pupils of the B4 grade presented a motion picture play, "Maggie and the Gypsy." Miss Leona Pfander is the teacher of the B4 grade. Mary Margaret Hartness read the first part and Shirley Gray read the second part of the play. Ivan Milton manipulated the motion picture machine. The pictures shown were drawn by the B 4 pupils.

Thirty-five members were present at the meeting. Mrs. Hugh Strong was a guest. Miss Pfander's won the pennant for the best attendance of mothers.

A social hour was held after the program. The hostesses were Mrs. C. L. Owens, Mrs. Donna Woods, Mrs. C. B. Hahn and Mrs. Walter Davis.

Omar Wray of Pickering was in Maryville Thursday.

Ed Brunk of Arkoe was a Maryville visitor Thursday.

ANSWERS TO EXAMS SHOW WHY FAILURE

Novel Information Revealed in Latest Bunch of Schoolboy "Howlers."

Christian Evangelist: Among recent school boy examination "howlers" we choose the following:

"Things which are equal to the same thing are equal to anything else."

"A grass widow is the wife of a dead vegetarian."

"Oceanic is that continent which contains no land."

"In India a man out of a cask may not marry a woman out of another cask."

"Parallel lines are the same distance all the way and do not meet unless you bend them."

"Gravitation is that which, if there were none, we should all fly away."

"Louis XVI was gelatined during the French Revolution."

"Horse power is the distance one horse can carry a pound of water in an hour."

"Palsy is a kind of new writer's dance."

"Letters in sloping print are hysterics."

Winter Committees Chosen at College

February 3 Is Set as Date for "Campus Comedies," Annual Student Entertainment.

The Student Council of the State Teachers College, at its meeting Wednesday appointed the following committees to serve for the remainder of the winter quarter, according to the Northwest Missourian, College paper:

Bulletin Board: Evelyn Evans, and Harold Braun.

Concessions: Chilton Ross, Lucille Qualls, and Sue Hankins.

Social: Mary E. Jones, Charline McHugh and Willis Wamsley.

Assembly Program Committee: Mary E. Jones.

Judiciary Committee: Charline McHugh and Willis Wamsley.

February 3 was the date set for "Campus Comedies" an entertainment that is put on by the different organizations of the College. Prizes will be awarded to the organization having the best entertainment and the money secured from the program will be used to furnish the social hall.

School Is Cleaned in Wilcox District

WILCOX, Dist. 87.—The primary class dramatized the story of the "Three Bears."

The art education classes had some very interesting picture studies Thursday. They have been learning to make flowers.

Our schoolhouse is being cleaned this week. We washed the windows, curtains, cleaned the stove and floor Wednesday.

Attendance has been much improved this week. Everyone is endeavoring to be on time.

Lorraine Steinman is still ill with tonsilitis.

The "A" reading class is reading the "Courtship of Miles Standish." The "B" class is enjoying the story of "Alice in Wonderland."

The third grade elementary science class has been making some helpful posters this week.

The "B" geography class is drawing maps of the Central States, as a means of fixing in mind the more important facts about this group.

The music classes are studying the historical background of our national songs.

Butler School Into Declamatory Contest

Representative in Quitman Event to Be Chosen Jan. 23.—Other Community News.

BUTLER SCHOOL—We are planning to enter the District Declamatory contest which will be held at Quitman, January 27. On the night of Monday, January 23, we will hold a preliminary contest at our school to choose our representative in the district contest. We will also hold a plate social at that time.

Glen Joslin was a visitor at the home of Edward Miles Sunday afternoon and they went coasting on the cart.

Miss Margaret Parker, Anna Lee and Mary Katherine Grimsley visited Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Rodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Argo and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Argo and son, Richard Lee, were visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Argo and family Sunday.

Valedictory for Graduates Is Given by Bonnie Campbell

The following valedictory address was delivered last night by Bonnie Campbell, honor student, at the commencement exercises for the mid-year graduating class of the Maryville High School .

"We, who stand tonight at the meeting between a happy past and an unknown future, have reached not the end, but the commencement of our lives. And what those lives are to be depends on what we have builded for them in our high school years.

"Great are the joys and privileges of being a high school student, but none, I am sure, would wish to remain one forever. There are other heights to climb, other prizes to win, other marks which we feel an overwhelming desire to reach. This is the spirit which has caused all the world's great achievements in every development of life. It is not the dabbler or the dreamer in life who has caused the world to take notice, but the ones who have achieved great things, so out of the ordinary and so unexpected it seemed impossible.

"Why is it so many young persons set out upon their graduation day with highest hopes and golden ideals, and then fall by the wayside? It is because they turn hither and thither into different hypaths, forgetting their high pledges made in their schooldays. It is not alone in religious life that the way is straight and narrow, but in every path that leads to success.

"Perhaps, you have done great things in the past, but you cannot live upon past achievements. You should hope to do still greater things in the future. The Spanish have a proverb, 'Make to thyself fame, then take thine ease.' This is a proverb for the fool and lag gard. A proverb for true American men and women is this: 'Make to thyself fame, and then increase that fame.' The latter motto will lead to achievements, to renewed and greater usefulness in taking the responsibility that is given to each and everyone of us.

"First, we salute you, members of the Board of Education. Hail and farewell! Never before have we met in just this relationship. We, the class of January 1928, thank you, the corporate body that makes this institution what it is and enables us to enjoy privileges that our forefathers never dreamed of.

"And to you, teachers, will end today that intimate relationship which through the years of high school life have been maintained, but not, we trust, that abiding friendship, that could not choose but come from long acquaintance of your earnestness and serious purpose. And yet, though your purpose was serious, we recall moments of light-hearted gaiety and a smiles comes to our lips. Goodby, you have been good to us. Better than we have deserved.

"A pang pierces our hearts when the thought enters that after we have gone from here, no one will ever miss us. You, fellow students, will take our places and the revolving years will bring other students after you are gone. It is like the world in miniature. We are but the tenants, not the landlords of the universe.

"Classmates, there's only one word more, and the last one must be to you. We did not realize how hard it was going to be to say, did we? In our work together we have become very dear friends, we have shared our pleasures, our triumphs, and our few disappointments for so long we will miss the old companionships more than we realize when we are far apart to enjoy it no longer. We will always think of these very happy ones, that made us, as classmates, a little nearer and dearer to one another than mere friends. Let us as we part, pledge ouselves to remember all the true and lofty aims that have been born in us in our world together here, and make our lives such as shall bring pride to our school and cause our dear instructors, every one of them, to be justly proud to remember that they had the task of teaching us how at least to begin to live.

"For now our boat glides out between
The rocks that guard the shore.
Bearing the January class of 1928
To be a class no more.
But looking forward with a smile
To courage, strong and high,
To meet in that glad afterwhile,
No more to say, 'Good-by'."

Mr. and Mrs. Francis O'Riley and family were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Grimsley and family Sunday afternoon.

Mable Fern Johnston visited at the home of Everett Arnold Parshall Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parshall and children, Everett Arnold and Melvin Parshall, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Graham and children, Junior, Louise and Russell Graham, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnston and family Sunday afternoon and evening.

Miss Margaret Parker and Mary Kathrine Grimsley spent Monday evening at the Francis O'Riley home.

Francis O'Riley did his winter butchering Tuesday.

Forrest Graham, Will Johnston, Everett Parshall, Bert Joslin and Charley Grimsley helped.

Excelsior Has First Class Library Now

EXCELSIOR SCHOOL DIST. NO 20—Harold Clymens is back in school after a long illness. This makes a total enrollment of twenty-four.

Eldon Baker was taken to the St. Francis hospital in Maryville Sunday morning. We hope he can be back in school soon.

The following persons visited school this week, Mrs. Roy Ringgold, Marvin Clair Ringgold, and Miss Bertha Clymens.

Our school has a new library of which everyone is very proud. Our school meets all the requirements now for a first class school.

Mr. and Mrs. Oland Ringgold visited Sunday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ringgolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Carmichael and family spent Sunday at Mrs. Bell Davisons.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones and family spent Monday night at Mr. Roy Ringgolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hyder and family motored to Shenandoah last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holmes spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Will Keiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morehouse spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Blanchard spent Sunday with Henry Browns.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Foster spent Sunday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gartins.

Davis Classes in Spelling Contest

Six Pupils Make Perfect Score.—Reading Table Installed.—Club Elects Officers.

DAVIS.—Classes A, B, C and D have been engaged in a spelling contest the last week. The C class, composed of Imo Hosbor, Edgar Williamson, Crystal Hubbard, Anna Mae Buford and Wayne Collins, won the contest. The B class was the loser.

Six pupils had a perfect record. They were Junior Clemons, Wayne Collins, Crystal Hubbard, Edgar Williamson, Wilson Clemons and Albert Bell.

Each pupil in these spelling contests has a spelling tablet in which to put the words.

The school has fixed a reading table in the front part of the room, where magazines, such as The Pathfinder, The Child Life Magazine and The Normal Instructor are placed. There are also silent reading books here where the pupils may go and read at spare times.

The Composition Club had election of officers Friday. At the next meeting of the club on Friday, January 20, Albert Bell is going to read an original story; Wilson Clemons is to give an original poem and Charles Clemons and Mourine Collins are to give extemporaneous talks.

Janquetta Brickey has been absent this week on account of sickness.

Second Examinations at Champaign School

CHAMPAIGN—Examinations for the second quarter are being given this week.

There have been several absences on account of illness this week. Sylvia Coffelt has been quite ill with tonsilitis. Perry Otis Onstot and Alvin Woodburn have been ill with colds.

Billy Marvin Woodburn suffered a painful but not severe accident Monday when he was struck in the mouth with a baseball bat. His lip was cut and one tooth was knocked loose.

The B and C classes have been making health posters.

Floyd Evans went to St. Joseph Wednesday to see his uncle Chance Evans who is seriously ill.

TWO SCHOOLS FIRST CLASS

HOPKINS AND RAVENWOOD RECEIVE CHERISHED RECOGNITION.

LETTERS FROM STATE

19¾ Units of High School Work Approved at Hopkins.—$300 Spent On Ravenwood Gym.

Two more High Schools in the county have been continued on the first class list of high schools in the state by Charles A. Lee, state superintendent of schools. They are the Hopkins and Ravenwood High Schools. Letters have been received by the boards of educations at both places from Charles A. Lee, state superintendent. That to the Hopkins board told of receiving the report of an inspection by J. C. Godbey, who visited the school December 19, and said further:

Jefferson City, Mo.

Mr. Fred Yeoman,
Clerk, Hopkins School board:

"The report was very satisfactory, and I am pleased to announce that I am continuing the school on the first class list with 19¾ units of work approved.

"I note from the report that you have made additions to both the high school and the grade school libraries since the visit of the inspector last year, and that you contemplate a further expenditure for the same purpose this year."

The inspection at Ravenwood was made by Mr. Godbey on December 12, and the state superintendent's letter said:

"The report on the whole was very favorable. I am, therefore pleased to continue the school on the first class list with 16¼ units of work approved.

"I note from the report that you have spent $300 in finishing your gymnasium since the visit of the inspector last year, also, that you have purchased a set of American history charts for the high school, and have spent $85 on the grade library.

"For the further improvement of your school, I wish to suggest that the high school library be catalogued before another school year."

Both schools were assured of appreciation of the "fine spirit of cooperation manifested toward this department by your superintendent and the board of education."

Bloomdale Community Meeting January 27

BLOOMDALE—There will be a community meeting at the schoolhouse Friday evening, January 27.

Miss Elizabeth White, rural supervisor, visited the school Thursday and gave some tests.

We are still very proud of our attendance record. Five months of school gone and no single case of a day's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gray and son, Oliver, visited Sunday at Alvin Gray's home.

Ira Sharr and family, and Ike Treese and family, attended church at Orrsburg Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Appleby of Maryville, spent Sunday with George David.

George David recently bought a farm just north of the Harmony church.

Mrs. Clare Conley, Mrs. Harve Cline, Mrs. Ike Treese, and Miss Crystal Treese, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Abe Byerrum. The day was spent in quilting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wray and son, Willard, attended a dinner given at the home of Mrs. Hornbuckle at Pickering Sunday.

Several in this vicinity have been sawing wood the last two weeks.

Chance Copeland shipped a mixed load of cattle and hogs to St. Joseph last week.

Barnard and Craig Debate Is Postponed

Misunderstanding as to Time Causes Delay.—Winner to Meet Maryville in State League.

Due to a misunderstanding as to time the debate scheduled to have been held in Barnard yesterday afternoon with Craig has been postponed until a few days later. This is to be the debate to decide which school will meet Maryville in the final debate in the first round of the state league series.

The Barnard-Craig debate originally was scheduled for Thursday night.

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By ERNEST LYNN

THE STORY THUS FAR

When JEFF HARRISON, gambler, is killed in a poker game in Caldwell, Kan., his 13-year-old son, TONY, is taken to the Bar K ranch in the Indian territory by JOE CRAIG, who appoints himself the boy's guardian.

There Tony is welcomed by TITUS MOORE, owner of the Bar K brand, and his little daughter, RITA. Another who has befriended Tony is GORDON W. LILLIE, who later becomes known as PAWNEE BILL when he teaches school at the Indian reservation in Pawnee.

In the months that follow, reports come to the Bar K of the activities of the now notorious Benton gang. TOM BENTON being the murderer of Jeff Harrison. Craig and Tony depart for Pawnee to visit Pawnee Bill.

CHAPTER XX.

It was rather lonely at the ranch. Titus Moore and his wife and daughter had gone to Virginia for a visit, with the likelihood that Rita and her mother would remain and the girl be placed in a finishing school in Richmond.

Mrs. Moore had decided that Rita had had enough of the school in Kansas City, and the colonel did not stand in her way. He had resigned himself to seeing less of his wife and daughter until things had shaped themselves more definitely in the Indian territory.

He explained the situation to Tony Harrison when he returned. "Rita's mother never did like it out here anyway, and now that Rita's growing up she figures it's no place to rear her as a young lady—as she puts it—and give her some of the educational advantages that young girls ought to have.

"I reckon I can see her way of reasoning all right." He looked over toward the rude structure, half shack and half dugout, that he had dignified with the name of ranch house. "I guess it is sort of uncomfortable here for a woman who's been accustomed to luxuries most of her life. In Kansas it wasn't so bad; I had a decent house to live in and a barn that wasn't an eyesore. Here, half of the thing that I call a ranch house is dug in the side of a hill, and the excuse for a barn is just a few rough timbers thrown together for the express purpose of keeping the winter winds and snows off that Kentucky thoroughbred of mine."

But, he added, it couldn't be helped. There certainly was little wisdom in erecting expensive buildings on a ranch that was his only by sufferance of the Cherokee Indians. The rude buildings were a constant reminder of the uncertainty of his status; there was no telling when the government might decide to run him, and others like him, out of the territory.

"If only I had title to it, Tony, it would be different. But I came down here because I was selfish enough to grab at a chance to run a ranch with no overhead to it. Being unable to lay any plans looking ahead to a permanent stay, is the price I pay for it."

He cast a speculative eye toward Craig and his men, a few rods distant. The spring roundup was on, and Craig was busy supervising the branding of new calves. "I guess," Titus Moore continued with a smile, "Rita's mother was pretty good to stick it out down here as long as she did. She's forgotten what a neighbor looks like."

Tony agreed with him. "I think it was mighty fine of her, considering. And it will be nice for Rita to go to school in the east."

The colonel darted a quizical look at the boy. "I'll sure miss her, though. Won't you?"

Tony Harrison reddened and shifted uncomfortably. "Why, yes—sure," he answered hesitantly. "It won't seem natural around here without her. She—she's all the time into everything, kind of."

"She insisted that she'd be out here late in the summer," the colonel supplemented. "Before she starts to school."

"Will her mother let her?"

Moore laughed. "When Rita insists, you've just got to let her have her way. I guess you know that."

Tony grinned. "That's right . . . I guess I'll be giving Joe Craig and the boys a hand."

"Wait a minute," the colonel detained him. "How would you like to go to school, Tony?"

"Who—me?" The boy stared uncomprehensively, then shook his head. "I've got a living to make, Colonel."

There's plenty of time to think about that later. I thought maybe if you'd like to go away to school some place it might be arranged. I'd be glad to pay all the bills." He spoke awkwardly, realizing he was making a bad job of putting his thoughts into words.

The boy looked away before answering. "I'm real obliged to you for the offer, but right now I can't see the way. I've got some money myself, as far as that's concerned; and I wouldn't have had that if it hadn't been for you."

He pressed Titus Moore's hand earnestly. "I just want to stay on the Bar K for a while, Colonel." He swung around abruptly and left, and whistled the air of a cowboy song he had learned from Craig.

He was not anxious for the colonel to know the true state of his feelings. "I'll sure hate to leave him," he soliloquized, and turned a moment later to look back.

Titus Moore appeared to be engaged in earnest conversation with his beloved Fane. He was shaking his head, a gesture that Tony interpreted as an expression of his disappointment that his offer had gone unaccepted. With another, Titus Moore might have argued the matter to the point of insistence, but he understood, better than any, the sensitiveness of the boy's nature and his own delicacy prevented him from pursuing further what Tony, in his independent way, might have construed as an offer too charitable to permit of acceptance.

"I guess I was a fool, Fancy," he said to the mare. "The boy's got more education right now that most high school graduates, and more downright sense than most people twice his age. He had the advantage of an intelligent father—which is what you have, Fancy. I guess human beings and horses are pretty much alike, after all."

Tony Harrison was thinking, as he fell to work, that the summer ahead of him would be something to be endured rather than enjoyed. Therefore summer had always meant the presence of Rita Moore, who, if she was provoking and imperious, was more to him than he had begun to realize until a few short week before. He closed his eyes, and Rita stood before him as he had last seen her, the day she had left for Virginia. Her hair an auburn, curly mass; her eyes gray and demure, behind lashes of startling length and blackness; her face with its square little chin and its impudent little nose, across the whiteness of which there trailed a handful of tiny freckles, wreathed in a shy smile.

That smile, he reflected, had been the revelation of a new Rita. It lingered with him, to puzzle him during the daylight hours and set him to thinking far into the night. He had never seen her smile like that before, and there had been something infinitely saddening in it, as it had spelled the end of their careless comradeship and summoned him to a realization that childhood for her had ended.

Rita was 15, and how like a young lady she had looked as she and her parents had boarded the train at Caldwell! Her hair, which he had been accustomed to seeing in a disordered mass of curls about her shoulders, had been gathered up behind with a few ringlets left to stray down below her ears. A tiny hat of the prevailing mode had been pinned on top, well toward the front, and he had beheld her for the first time in a full-length skirt. Her ears had been pierced to accommodate the small but beautiful pearl ornaments her father had given her on her fifteenth birthday.

Everywhere he went now, as he rode the range in company with Joe Craig or followed the trails he and Rita had ridden over in days past—himself often reluctantly and protestingly—he thought of her and got constant reminders of her former laughing presence. Here it was that she had summoned him so peremptorily for their first ride together and Joe Craig had been afraid to come to his rescue; here it was that Outlaw had dragged his unconscious form the time she had taunted him into riding the vicious horse; here where they had sat together, his leg in splints, and he had told her about himself and Jeff Harrison, his father.

Along the banks of Cottonwood Creek he rode past hundreds of redbud trees in flaming purple bloom and sought the spot where he had killed the huge blacksnake that had wrapped itself around the leg of her horse and frightened her into momentary hysteria. He had been proud that day of his marksmanship and his coolness, and not a little contemptuous of her panic.

It was the same everywhere he rode; hardly a spot but conjured forth some poignant memory, and he felt as one who has suffered a great loss. She was gone now, and the ranch would not know her again as it had known her in the past. She might return at the summer's end, but she would not be the same Rita again, and she would go back after a brief visit, back to the east and the gently reared Virginians her mother and father had moved among.

It had been inevitable, of course. This country out here was certainly no place for a woman—not yet at least. Mrs. Moore had made many sacrifices, but denying her daughter the advantages that their money commanded, and letting her remain in a wild, uncertain country where the peculiar conditions of cattle ranching were so dubious as to forbid even

OUT OUR WAY. By Williams

THAT SOUP BONE MUST BE AWFUL DUMB. HE'S ALWAYS AFTER TH' BULL O' TH' WOODS TO HELP HIM DOPE OUT A DRAWIN'.
DUMB? WHY, HE'S A FOX! HE'S ALWAYS GOT BUSINESS WITH TH' BULL WHEN HE'S IN A BIG ARGUMENT. TH' BULL ARGUES AND ARGUES, AND HE GETS TO LOAF AND LOAF. HE'S TH' ONLY ONE WHO WINS IN ONE O' THEM ARGUMENTS
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the erection of a suitable home, were not included among them. Mrs. Moore was certainly not to be blamed.

What puzzled him was the thing Colonel Moore had said to him about going to school. Was it possible that Titus Moore, sensing a subtle change in him, had invited him to get away from a place that held the ghosts of happy memories? Or had the colone had something else in mind?

He could find no satisfactory explanation.

Of one thing he was certain: he would not remain at the Bar K very much longer. During idle intervals he took to reviewing the events of the three years that had elapsed since his father's death, and at times he regretted bitterly that Joe Craig had brought him to the ranch and took to speculating on what might have happened if he had been left to shift for humself.

He worked like a Trojan and sought Craig's companionship that he might not be left alone with his thoughts. He dared not admit to himself the truth; he was too ashamed; people, if they knew, would laugh at him.

(To Be Continued.)

The Cherokee Live Stock Association is formed and a powerful lobby set up in Washington to combat the opening of Oklahoma. Read the next chapter.

Burlington Youth Hit by Automobile

Injuries Are Not Serious to Pete Wright.—Arthur Houston Reaches California.

BURLINGTON JUNCTION.—An accident happened on the streets Thursday evening which might have proved serious had the driver of a car not been careful. "Pete" Wright, a paper boy, started out from behind a car when the car driven by Chas. Moore struck him. Young Wright was knocked to the pavement but was not injured seriously as the driver stopped as soon as the boy was hit.

The Norris Poultry and Egg Co. shipped a car of poultry to California Friday, and a car of eggs to Chicago the same day.

The girls basketball team of the local high school gave a stunt during the intermission between halves of the games the local boys played today at the basketball tournament.

Word was received Thursday that one of the three boys who started out for the West coast last September has at last reached there. He is Arthur Houston, who with two other boys left in September for California. One has returned home, the other stayed in Idaho and the third went on to California. Mr. Houston writes that he likes California very much but thinks he will return soon to Idaho.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Cossins and Mrs. J. G. House were Maryville visitors Thursday.

On Tuesday night of next week the January meeting of the P. T. A. will be held at the school building. The program will be put on by the men.

The depot is being repaired this week by putting in new windows and laying a new floor in the office.

The High School had their trophies on display the latter part of this week at the Haun Bros. Furniture Store. A large number of fine trophies of all kinds have been won by the local high school in basketball, track, and other forms of school activities. Also there was on display the two trophies that will be given away tonight to the two best teams at the Invitation Tourney.

The new pastor for the Christian Church will take charge of his church here Sunday morning. The church has been without a pastor for some time.

E. C. Johnson was painfully injured the first of the week while working in his coal mine near Quitman. It seems as though a pick struck his ankle in such a way as to injure it severely.

Miss Mary Coil has taken a position with the First National Bank, starting work last Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hann went to Westboro Friday night. Mr. Hann officiated at the basketball game between the Westboro and Rock Port high schools.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hann entertained the bridge club Wednesday evening with a line party at the Grand Theater. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fordyce.

The high school basketball team was idle last night due to the tourney which is being played today. Coach C. K. Thompson has a stiff schedule and he is trying his best to keep the team in trim for the remainder of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Thompson spent Thursday evening with Mr. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zel Thompson of near Maryville.

The city pavement was cleaned Thursday, the workmen using the fire hose for the purpose.

To Decorate Interior of Grant City Home

Parnell Men Get Contract—C. O. Thomas Suffers Sprain in Foot When He Falls at Gaynor School.

(By Willing Workers).

PARNELL—Ray and Charles Baublits, interior decorators, have contracted for the work of finishing the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hanber of Grant City and will commence work next week. The frame work was recently completed by T. C. Dukes of Parnell.

L. M. Kibler and Charles Evans were transacting business in Maryville Wednesday.

The Willing Workers held an interesting meeting Thursday with Mrs. Charles Evans. Eleven members responded to roll call and the literary program was rendered in full.

A comedy under the auspices of the Morning View Farm Club was put on at the opera house Thursday evening.

J. A. Ransom is improving his residence by building a new porch.

Mrs. Nancy Cryder is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. C. C. Hood spent Thursday and Friday in Blockton, Ia.

Miss Florence Boedecker is visiting friends in Maryville this week.

George Rauch of Athelston, Ia., was a Parnell visitor Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Hood visited with Mrs. Ella Bloomfield Thursday evening.

Miss Veronica Hall spent Thursday and Friday in St. Joseph.

Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, Miss Lora Nigh and Dr. Nigh of Sheridan left Friday for Excelsior Springs.

Elsie Burch and Georgia Gaynor spent Friday evening in Ravenwood with Mrs. John Oligus of Langford, S. Dak., who is visiting relatives there.

Margaret Bremer of Maryville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Bremer this week.

Misses Vern and Crystal Batson were dinner guests of Mrs. D. Smith Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thackery and Mrs. Oletha Dixon spent Friday in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. James McCampbell of Gentry, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Laughlin of Oxford were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Cox, Thursday.

W. E. Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Logan were Maryville visitors Thursday.

Ed Kelso of Grant City was in Parnell Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Herndon moved Thursday into the E. J. Klaas property on the south of the park.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. DeFreece had for dinner guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry DeFreece and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Harmon and three daughters.

C. O. Thomas suffered a painful sprain to his foot when he slipped and fell at the Gaynor school building the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Commodore Poland of Worth were transacting business in Parnell Thursday.

Austin Felton drove to Maysville Thursday, returning the same day.

Charles and P. A. Evans were Sheridan visitors Thursday.

Mrs. C. O. Harmon and Mr. and Mrs. A. Echterling were in Maryville Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Miller, Emmett Miller and A. J. Roof were in Maryville on business Tuesday.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elza Crenshaw is quite ill with pneumonia.

Misses Ruth and Frances Barns of Oxford spent Friday and Saturday with Parnell friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson drove to Grant City Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Eliza Sparks of Gaynor was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. DeFreece the first of the week.

WANTED

Horses, draft chunks, weighing 1300 to 1700 pounds; from 5 to 10 years old. Will buy them as good as grown. Will also buy some fat, smooth mouth ones.

I will be in—

BARNARD, 10 to 12 a. m. ..... Monday, Jan. 16
ARKOE, 1 to 2 p. m. ..... Monday, Jan. 16
RAVENWOOD, 10 to 12 a. m. ..... Tuesday, Jan. 17

Read Dates —— Be on time!

JIM ANDY FORD

Missouri W. C. T. U. President Honored

Mrs. Nelle G. Burger, Springfield, Mo., president of the Missouri W. C. T. U., and recording secretary of the National W. C. T. U., has accepted an invitation to preside at the third national conference on the Cause and Cure of War, in Washington, D. C., January 18. Nine National Woman's Organizations are affiliated in the conference. Mrs. Burger will go from Washington to Richmond, Va., where she will speak January 18 at a National W. C. T. U. campaign conference.

Distress Signal Now Believed Radio Fake

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 14.—The federal government has begun an investigation into fake radio distress signals, which sent ships rushing to the aid of the steamer Griffco in mid-ocean.

The S. O. S. calls were signed by the Griffco's letters. They were received by several coast stations and eventually placed as coming from a point 300 miles south of Cape Flattery.

Then yesterday a message suddenly came from the Griffco which stated "All is well, we're proceeding to Honolulu." No explanation of the S. O. S. calls was offered by the ship's captain, authorities said. Several ships rushing to the Griffco's aid turned back on receipt of the "all is well" message.

Officials are baffled by circumstances but believe "one of the most flagrant abuses of radio in recent years was perpetrated."

Admits She's a Leap Year Bride.

LaSalle, Ill., Jan. 14.—Claiming to be the first "genuine" leap year bride of 1928, Mrs. Lucille Wynick, 23, admitted she proposed to Arthur Hirsch, paid for their marriage license, and planned the honeymoon.

To Entertain "Master Farmers"

Columbia, Mo., Jan. 14.—Master farmers of Missouri and those who placed second in the better farmers' league contests of 1927 will be guests of honor here Tuesday. A better farmers' league dinner will be given as part of the annual farmers' week exercises.

Lindbergh to Rest, Take Hunting Tour

American Air Ambassador Greets Two French Fliers, Surrenders Spotlight to Them.

Colon, Panama, Jan. 14.—America's flying messenger of good will today expected to take a short rest before continuing his ardous flight through the Central American countries.

After flying in an Army plane to Panama City to greet the French air adventurers, Dieudonne Costes and Joseph Le Brix, Lindbergh returned to Colon and announced he would take a short hunting tour. With several Army planes and pilots, he will take off for a Camp Bear Boquete. He expects to remain at the Camp for several days.

When Lindbergh returns to Colon, his trans-atlantic plane, "Spirit of St. Louis," probably will have been reconditioned and he will continue toward Havana. Although his route is uncertain, he expects to visit Venezuela and possibly Colombia before proceeding to Havana.

Yesterday Lindbergh flew to Panama City and was part of the escort group of planes that met the French fliers. He displayed the remarkable trait of reticence that has made him so popular on two continents, he remained in the background as Central America greeted the Frenchmen.

Victim of Hiccoughs Shows Improvement

Falls City, Neb., Jan. 14.—A slight improvement today was noted in the condition of James Goldman, 69, who has suffered for twenty-eight days from hiccoughs.

The hiccoughs virtually have subsided, doctors said, but Goldman was still in a weakened condition.

The Jerome Hotel
St. Joseph, Mo.
Reasonable Rates
Single ..... $1.50 to $2.50
Double ..... $2.50 to $4.00
The picture houses always afford good entertainment. Why not drive in for the week end?
The Jerome Hotel
St. Joseph, Mo.
416 Francis St.

THE PEOPLES TELEPHONE CO.
Graham, Missouri

Contract with the present manager-lineman will expire March 1, 1928.

Applications for the position of manager lineman will be received up to Monday, February 6, at which time the contract for the following year will be awarded.

GEORGE T. BENNETT
Secretary.

ONLY great volume production makes the exceptionally low prices possible -- for trucks so high in quality - - -

$1595 6-cyl. 2-Ton
$1245 1½-Ton
$895 1-Ton G-Boy
$670 ¾-Ton Commercial
Above Prices chassis f. o. b. Detroit

$770 ½-Ton Deluxe Panel Complete f. o. b. Detroit

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Sold and Serviced by Dodge Brothers Dealers Everywhere
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All orders from outside of Maryville must be accompanied by cash.

For further information, contract rates on Want Ads, etc., address:
The Advertising Department,
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Maryville, Missouri.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOST

LOST—One pair of tan kid gloves. Reward.—Phone Hanamo 683.

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 12

FOR SALE—Extra good Ford Roadster, 1927 model.—Orr Kinman, Farmers 1-12.

CHEVROLET

THE NEW CHEVROLET IS HERE. WE ARE RECEIVING MORE USED CARS EVERY DAY.

We have some nice Used Cars both open or closed models, at very attractive prices. We invite you to come in and see them.

8 DIFFERENT MAKES
5 DIFFERENT MODELS

Terms Open Evenings
Will Trade
See Fred C. Newlon

McDonnell Chevrolet Co.
114 West Second Street

Used Cars

that are worth the money. We have them. Here they are—

1926—Chevrolet Landau Sedan.
1927 Ford Coupe. Almost like new.

ARNOLD-STRONG Motor Co.

Read the Want Ads.

Automobiles For Sale.

THREE GOOD CAR VALUES

1926 Buick
Master, 2 door sedan
1925
Dodge Sedan, Type A
1925
Dodge Sedan, Type B

Will sell any of these cars at a bargain.

GEORGE McMURRY

New 1927—

DODGE

—Roadster. Driven very little and in wonderful condition.

CAMPBELL MOTOR COMPANY
L. L. Clary, Mgr.
408 North Buchanan

CARS TAKEN IN ON

New Pontiac

1926 Chevrolet Coupe
1926 Pontiac Coupe
1926 Ford Tudor Sedan
1924 Ford Touring
1924 Overland Touring

These cars are priced to sell

E. C. BAGBY Motor Co.

Reconditioned

Used Cars

1—1925 Ford Coupe, 5 balloon tires, mechanically perfect, fine condition throughout.
1—1924 Ford Coupe, motor good, 5 brand new tires.
1—1924 Ford Touring, new enamel finish; new top and curtains, motor extra good.
1—1923 Dodge Touring, good rubber, mechanically good.
1—1926 Overland Coupe, motor fine, finish like new.
2—Ford Roadsters, good.

SEWELL AUTO COMPANY
Willys-Knights — Whippets

AUTO ACCESSORIES 13

SPECIAL

FISK
Tires and Tubes
Tires
29x4.40 ..... $7.00
30x3½ 5.50

Tubes
29x4.40 ..... 2.10
30x3½ 1.45

LANNING TIRE, TOP, PAINT AND VARNISH CO.
Main at First

AUTOMOBILE

Glass Work

We have machines to Grind and Polish Auto Glass for Windshields or Doors of Automobiles.
Will be glad to do your replacement work.

HENRY FOSTER & SONS
Hanamo 4056

BUSINESS SERVICE

ICE, COAL, WOOD ETC 26

DRY STOVE WOOD and cord wood.—Call Hanamo 6575.

Shoemaker-Bovard

Headquarters for good quality coal. We want your business.

Car high grade Illinois lump—

Coal

—just arrived, $7.50 to $8.00 ton.
WM. EVERHART

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED—MALE 27

SALESMAN WANTED—Must have an auto or driving rig. Need not be away from home nights. Opportunity for hard worker to establish business paying $200 and upward monthly.—Stetson Oil Co., 2200 Lee Rd., Cleveland, Ohio.

HELP WANTED—MALE 27

DISTRIBUTOR for 100 store route this county; experience unnecessary; no selling, distribute and collect; should net $70 weekly.—Peris Mfg. Co., Florin, Pa.

$35.00 A WEEK—Man or woman wanted to distribute nationally known food products to steady users in Maryville. No experience necessary. Write at once.—The J. R. Watkins Company, 1522-56 Walnut St., Kansas City, Mo.

FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN 31

Federal Farm Loans 5%

Reduced by dividends for the farmer who does his own thinking. Loans run for thirty-six years at your option.

For further information call on Nodaway County National Farm Loan Association.

A. L. PISTOLE,
Secretary-Treasurer
Hopkins, Mo.

LIVESTOCK

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 3

PUREBRED CHICKS
MISSOURI ACCREDITED
10% discount on all orders received before February 1st, for future delivery. Get our prices.
GRAY'S HATCHERY
402 East Sixth Street
Hanamo 4579 Farmers 357

FOR SALE—Pedigreed certified single comb Rhode Island cockerels, also whites.—J. Ward Stevenson, Graham.

FRATTS POULTRY REGULATOR—Helps make hens lay—keeps them healthy, too.—Sold only by The Koch Pharmacy.

Purebred Chicks

FROM FARM RANGE FLOCKS

Liberal discount given on all orders received before February 1st.

Call or Write

MARYVILLE HATCHERY
Hanamo 551 Farmers 325

HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE 34

MULES WANTED—Bring them in or phone me. I will call and see them.—Jim Andy Ford.

MERCHANDISE

FEEDS, GRAINS 37A

FOR SALE—Several tons, good baled oat straw.—Orr Kinman, Farmers 1-12.

FOR SALE—Baled timothy hay. Also some loose timothy and clover.—W. B. Porter, Pickering.

FOR SALE—White and yellow blossom sweet clover seed, stripped and rescreened, $4.50 and $5 per hundred weight.—Paul Taylor or Bill Karr, Skidmore.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 37B

PIANO BARGAIN—Someone at Maryville or vicinity can procure piano like new on easy payments at big saving. Write for particulars to Mgr. Collection Dept., J. Olney Piano Co., 317 Felix, St. Joseph.

WANTED TO BUY 38

ATTENTION—We buy rags, papers and magazines, iron, brass and copper, radiators, and storage batteries. 306 East Fifth Street.

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—Good 160-acre farm near Maryville on pavement.—Farmers 43-15.

FOR RENT—One of the best 120 acres of land in Nodaway County, ½ mile east of Burlington Junction on State Highway; well improved; all tillable land; plenty of water, R. F. D. and telephone.—W. P. Nicholas, Burlington Junction.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

APARTMENTS AND FLATS 39

SOLID COMFORT—Furnished apartments now ready.—Chas. Hyslop.

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—160-acre farm, well improved, 125 acres in corn, not far from a town. Call at once.—Hanamo 577.

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage, new, modern.—H. B. Cushman, Hanamo 626, Farmers 137.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, good condition, close in.—W. A. Miller.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—Modern sleeping rooms.—325 East Third St., Hanamo 734.

FARMS, LAND FOR SALE 46

FOR SALE OR RENT—Improved 80-acre farm on State Highway.—Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Small farm, 1½ miles northeast of Pickering.—For particulars write C. B. Reed, 2343 Norton, Kansas City, Missouri.

Read the Want Ads.

Hints and Helps for Farmers

by Ross J. Fleetwood County Extension Agent

After the fall pigs attain a weight of from fifty to seventy-five pounds, they begin to consume feed in large enough quantities that economy of the ration is a vital question, especially at this time, when the margin between cost of production and selling is so small as not to exist in some cases.

Experiments have been conducted at the Missouri experiment station for several years and a ration has been worked out for fall pigs. This ration has further been tried out by many farmers and the results have been as satisfactory gains made a little more economically than with any other ration.

This ration is made up of 2 parts tankage, 1 part oil meal and 1 part alfalfa hay (ground). This makes a 40-43 per cent protein feed which when hand fed in the proportion 1½ gallons to each bushel of corn will make very cheap gains. There is nothing contained in this ration which takes the place of corn. All the ingredients are protein supplements to corn with the one exception of alfalfa which is included because of the vitamins and bulk which it furnishes taking the place in part of pasture.

The above mixture may be self fed but more economical gains can be made where it is hand fed in troughs at the time the corn is fed. In this way the pigs are given the amount they require rather than the amount they will eat as where they are self fed.

Fertilizer From Legume Hay.

Most everyone has experienced the fact that legume hays are more valuable for feeding purposes than are the non-legumes but it isn't often that the greater value of the manure from such hay is taken into consideration. Legume hays are richer in protein and mineral matter and the manure resulting from their use is correspondingly higher in nitrogen and phosphorus. When manure is properly handled it is probably true that the increased value of the manure is almost equivalent in value to the increased feeding value so a double value may be figured for such hays.

Feed Mineral Mixture.

At this season when the mineral demands on the bred sow are greater and the supply of mineral in the feeds is normally low it is advisable to feed some kind of a mineral mixture. There are many mixtures available, some of which are very complex and some which are more simple. Generally speaking hogs only require fine minerals which are not normally secured in their feed and water. However in this country there are only four for Iodine is contained in the water in sufficient quantities for the hog. The other four minerals are, sodium, chlorine, calcium (lime) and phosphorus. Sodium and chlorine are both contained in common salt which is chemically known as sodium chloride. The lime or calcium is obtained from ground limestone more cheaply than from any other source. Phosphorus may be obtained from bonemeal or acid phosphate. Consequently if a mixture made up of equal parts of common salt, ground limestone (the kind applied to sour soils), and bonemeal or acid phosphate is kept in a self feeder before the hogs at all times, all requirements for minerals will be met. Since none of these minerals are very high in price a very economical mineral mixture can be made in this way.

Worms Cause Loss in Chickens.

Aside from white diohrrea and diseases which affect the baby chicks, there is probably no other single factor causes as great loss in young poultry as worms and the diseases coincident to worms. Worms usually begin to show their effect when the birds are about 6 weeks old causing emaciation, unthriftiness and very slow growth and very often a high mortality. Of course there are fairly successful remedies for the control of worms but the damage is already done before treatment can commence. Therefore prevention is better than trying to treat. If the brooder house is washed out with boiling lye water and moved onto a field which has been plowed since chickens were on it last the chicks will have no chance to become infested with worms. If the chicks can be kept here until 2-3 months of age they are not likely to be seriously affected later on. The movable brooder house is just as valuable a piece of equipment as the movable hog house.

Automobiles Increase in State Last Year

677,033 Motor Vehicles Were Registered, Which Is Increase of 23,000.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 13.—Automobile registration increased 23,000 in Missouri, in 1927 a report by Oscar Steininger, commissioner of motor vehicles, showed today.

The report showed 677,033 motor vehicles were registered in Missouri during the last period. St. Louis led in number of registrations with 146,787.

Every county in Missouri showed an increase over the previous year.

Sinking Unavoidable, Naval Board Is Told

Three Veteran Officers Place No Blame Upon Destroyer for Sub Disaster.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 13.—Three veteran naval officers, who had qualified as "expert witnesses" told the naval board of inquiry here today that the collision between the coast guard destroyer Paulding and the submarine S-4 appeared to have been unavoidable.

The witnesses, Captain H. D. Cooke, Commander W. H. Lassingaon and Commander John H. S. Dessez, presented a wide divergence of opinion as to the distance at which the S-4's periscope could have been seen from the bridge of the destroyer, but they were as one in describing the accident as unpreventable.

You can't blame Messrs. Vare and Smith because they're fighting for seats in the Senate. All who have seen the Senate say it's almost as good as the Follies.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 14.—Eggs, 46c; selected 48c; butter 51c; hens 23c; broilers 26c; turkeys and young toms 32c; ducks 16c; geese 15c.

LOCAL MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen 32c
(Held Eggs 6c less)
Cream, per lb. 45c
Roosters, per lb. 6c
Heavy Hens, per lb. 18c
Light Hens, per lb. 13c
Heavy Springs, per lb. 18c
Leghorn Springs, per lb. 13c
Geese, per lb. 13c
Hides, per lb. 12c
Ducks, per lb. 14c

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK.

St. Joseph, Jan. 14. — Hogs 2,000; market 10c higher; top $8.55; bulk 170 pounds up $8.35 to $8.50; packing sows steady $6.75 to $7.25.

Cattle 100; calves 50; market nominal.

Sheep 4,000; market steady 84 to 86 pound clipped lambs $10.75.

ST. LOUIS GRAIN MARKET.

St. Louis, Jan. 14.—Wheat No. 2 red $1.50 to $1.51; No. 1 hard $1.37; No. 2 hard $1.36 to $1.37.

Corn, No. 3 white 84½; No. 4 white 82½.

Oats No. 2 white 57 to 58; No. 3 white 55 to 56; No. 4 white 54½.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Kansas City, Jan. 14.—Hogs 1,000; market active, uneven 15 to 25 higher; top $8.65 on 225 to 260 pound averages; 250 to 350 $8.15 to $8.65; 200 to 250 $8.25 to $8.65; 160-200 $8.00 to $8.60; 150-160 $7.65 to $8.30; 90-130 $7.00 to 7.75; packing sows $6.60 to $7.65.

Cattle 300; calves 50; market she stock steady to 25 lower; other classes cattle strong to 50 cents higher; top steers $17.00. Beef steers $11.50 to $15.50; light yearling steers and heifers $9.00 to $11.50; beef cows $7.00 to $9.00; low cutters, cutter cows $5.00 to $6.50; vealers 7.50 to $10.00; bulk stockers, feeders $9.00 to $12.00.

Sheep none; market lambs 25 to 35 lower; sheep 15 to 25 higher. Top fat lambs $13.00; bulk fat lambs $12.25 to $12.85; bulk cull lambs $8.50 to $9.50; bulk fat ewes $6.50 to $7.25; bulk feeding lambs $11.50 to $12.00.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK.

Omaha, Jan. 14.—Cattle 200; market nominally steady; yearlings $10 to $15.50; steers $10.50 to $18; cows and heifers $5 to $12.50; stockers and feeders $6.75 to $13.25; calves $6.50 to $11; bulls and stags, $7.50 to $9.25; western rangers blank.

Hogs 10,000; few early sales to shippers 15c lower; packers dull; bulk of sales $7.25 to $8.15; top $8.25, some held higher.

Sheep none; nominal; yearlings $9 to $10.50; feeder lambs $11 to $13; fat lambs $10.50 to $12.85; fat ewes $4.50 to $7.25.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

East St. Louis, Jan. 14.—Hogs 4,200; holdovers 1,846; market steady to 5c off. 250 to 350, $8.25 to $8.60; 200 to 250, $8.50 to $8.65; 160 to 200, $8.35 to $8.70; 150 to 160, $7.50 to $8.60; 90 to 130, $6.50 to $8; packing sows, $6.90 to $7.50.

Cattle 300; calves 250; market nominal; beef steers $9.25 to $13.90; light yearling steers and heifers $8 to $11.75; beef cows $6.50 to $8.50; low cutters, cutter cows $4.75 to $6; vealers $11.50 to $16; heavy calves $7.50 to $10.50; bulk stockers $7.50 to $9.75.

Sheep 100; market nominal; top fat lambs $13; bulk fat lambs $12.75 to $13; bulk cull lambs $9 to $9.50; bulk fat ewes $5 to $6.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Cattle 200; compared to week ago fed steers scaling 1,250 pounds upward, unevenly higher; back to season's high time; lighter kinds and yearlings inactive, catchy, mostly strong with close a week earlier, or 50c or more under early last week; light mixed and heifer yearlings 75c to $1 lower during last two weeks; fat she stock 25c to 40c lower; cutters 15c to 25c lower; bulls largely 75c to $1 down, vealers $1 down; extreme top weighty sausage bulls $18.65; bulk better grade weighty offerings $16.50 up; most light medium weight kinds $12 to $15.50; best yearlings $16.50; common light southern steers downward to $8.90; uncovering almost $10 range over which killing steers are selling; replacements demand broadening; trade strong to 25c higher; bulk stockers scaling 750 pounds downward $9.50 to $10.75; best $11.35; most fat cows $7 to $9.50; heifers $8.75 to $11; yearling heifers up to $12.75; heavy sausage bulls dropped to $8.50 for best; light vealers closed at $11 to $12.

Sheep 3,000; practically none on sale today; for the week 79 doubles from feeding stations; 9,900 directs; fat lambs closing 25c to 35c lower; yearlings steady; sheep 25c higher; week's top prices: Fed lambs $13.85, fat natives $13.50, fat ewes $7.25, feeding lambs $13; bulk prices: Fed western lambs $12.50 to $13.60; natives $12.25 to $13.50, fat ewes $6.50 to $7.25, yearling wethers $10.50 to $11.60; feeding and slaughter lambs $12 to $12.75.

Hogs 5,000; market 10c higher; generally; spots on 15c; choice hogs all weights of 160 pounds upward, up to $8.60; top $8.60; bulk good and choice hogs of all weights 180 pounds up $8.40 to $8.60; bulk packing sows $7.25 to $7.60; pigs $6.75 to $7.25; selected lots $7.75 or better; pig advance larger on better grade strongweights; shippers took 3,500; estimated holdover 1,000.

Kansas City Cash Grain Market.

Kansas City, Jan. 14.—Wheat 103; market hard unchanged to ½ lower. No. 2 hard $1.26¾ to $1.71; No. 3 hard $1.23 to $1.70; No. 2 red $1.44 to $1.47; No. 3 red $1.36 to 1.45.

Corn 182; unchanged to ½ lower; No. 2 mixed 79 to 80; No. 3 mixed 76 to 79; No. 2 yellow 81½ to 83½; No. 3 yellow 80 to 82½; No. 2 white 79 to 81½.

Oats: 3; market unchanged. No. 2 white nominal 55 to 57; No. 2 red nominal blank; rye: No. 2 nom. 99c to $1; barley: No. 3 nominal 81 to 85; kafir No. 2 nominal $1.33 to $1.34; No. 3 nominal $1.31 to $1.33; No. 4 nominal $1.29 to $1.32; milo, No. 2 nominal $1.44 to $1.47; No. 3 nominal $1.42 to $1.45; No. 4 nominal $1.39 to $1.43.

Prairie, No. 1 10.50 to $12.00; alfalfa choice $19.50 to $22.00; timothy No. 1 $12.00 to $13.00.

Eggs, 46; selected, 48; butter, 51; hens 23; broilers, 26; turkeys and young toms, 32; ducks, 16; geese, 15.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Mar.	1.29⅝	1.30	1.28¾	1.29⅜
May	1.30⅜	1.31¼	1.29⅞	1.30⅛
July	1.27	1.27¼	1.25⅞	1.26⅛
CORN—				
Mar.	.90⅛	.90⅛	.88¾	.88¾
May	.92½	.92¾	.91¼	.91⅜
July	.94	.94⅛	.93	.93
OATS—				
Mar.	.54⅜	.54⅜	.54	.54¼
May	.55⅜	.56	.55¼	.55½
July	.53	.53	.52⅛	.52¼
LARD—				
Jan.	11.95	11.95	11.90	11.90
May	12.30	12.30	12.20	12.20
July	12.45	12.45	12.37	12.37
RIBS—				
Jan.	Nominal			10.90

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Wheat: No 2 red $1.31½.

Corn: No. 4 yellow 87c; No. 5 yellow 83½c to 85c; No. 6 yellow 83c; No. 3 mixed 86½c; No. 4 mixed 84½c; No. 6 mixed 82½c; No. 4 white 85½c; No. 5 white 84½c; No. 6 white 82½c; sample grade 75½c to 79c.

Oats: No. 2 white 56c to 59c; No. 3 white 54½c to 56½c; No. 4 white 54½c to 55c.

Rye: No. 2, $1.08¼.

Barley 85c to 93c.

Timothy: $3.10 to $3.85.

Clover: $22.25 to $29.75.

Final Grain Review.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Grain broke with wheat during the last hour of today's session and closed fractionally lower. Oats held about unchanged, losing its small gain. Small morning gains. Final figures: Wheat ½ to 3-8 lower; corn ¾ to 1c lower and oats unchanged to 3-8c off.

Wheat was very dull all day, prices barely managing to hold steady during the morning. Sentiment was mainly bearish, although there was little definite news to cause a downturn. Strength in corn during the morning induced a slight rise in wheat, but gains did not hold. Foreign markets were unchanged and there was no news from the Argentine or Australia. Receipts here were 11 cars and the cash market was unchanged. Corn went higher at the opening on forecasts of cold weather over the belt and fear that accompanying snow would check the movement again.

Large receipts however, soon turned some bearish and all gains were last prices going slightly under yesterday's close receipts here were 107 cars and cash market unchanged to ½c lower.

Oats showed little feature in a dull and colorless market. Receipts were 44 cars and cash oats was unchanged.

A car of No. 1, white oats, received here today, sold at 60 cents, the highest price in years.

Provisions closed lower.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Butter receipts, 11,794; extras 46¾c; extra first 45c to 46c; firsts 41½c to 43½c; seconds 38c to 38½c; standards 45¾c.

Eggs, receipts 5,102; firsts 43½c; ordinaries 35c to 40c; seconds 28c to 32c; extras 35c to 35½c.

Poultry receipts 3 cars; fowls, heavy 23c; small 20c; springs 24c; ducks, heavy 22c; small 18c; geese 17c to 18c; turkeys 25c to 28c; roosters 19c.

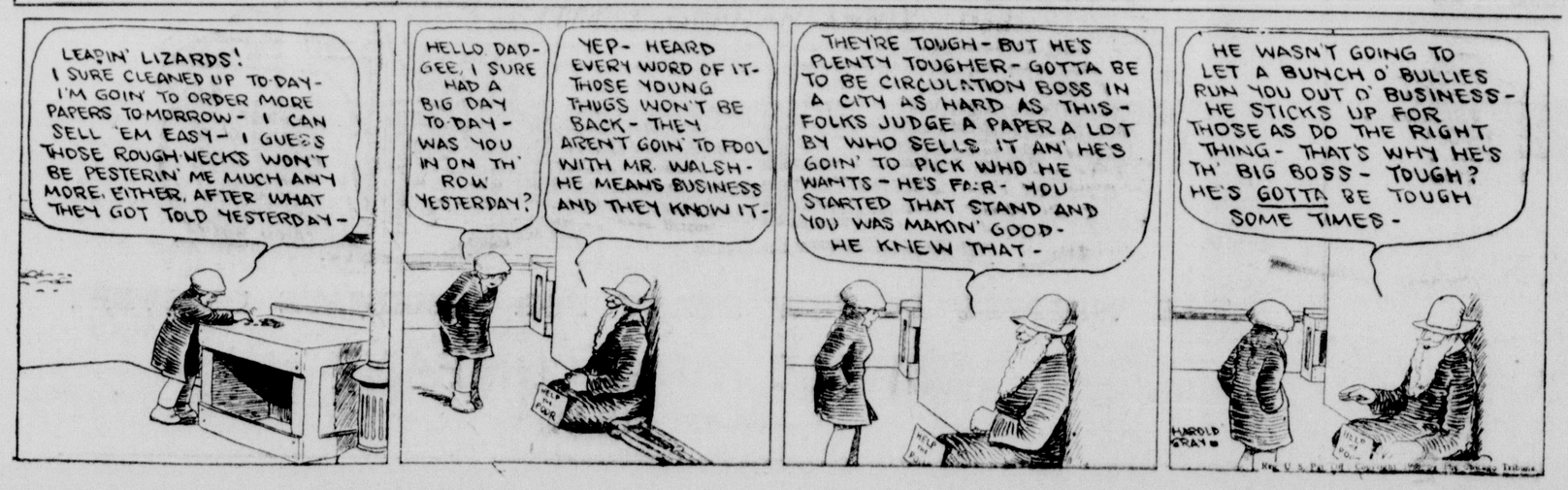
Cheese twins 27c; young Americas 28¼c.

Potatoes: Arrivals 111; on track 191; in transit 762; Wisconsin sacked round whites $1.45 to $1.55; fancy a shade higher; Minnesota sacked round whites $1.45 to $1.55; fancy shade higher; Minnesota sacked round whites and Red River Ohios $1.40 to $1.50; Idaho sacked russets Burbanks $1.75 to $1.90; fancy a shade higher; commercial pack $1.50 to $1.60; new potatoes, Florida bushel $2 to $2.50 and Bliss $2 to $2.50; sweet potatoes $1 to $2.

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE.

St. Louis, Jan. 14.—Produce unchanged.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Dad


LEAPIN' LIZARDS! I SURE CLEANED UP TO-DAY- I'M GOIN' TO ORDER MORE PAPERS TOMORROW- I CAN SELL 'EM EASY- I GUESS THOSE ROUGH-NECKS WON'T BE PESTERIN' ME MUCH ANY MORE, EITHER, AFTER WHAT THEY GOT TOLD YESTERDAY-
HELLO DAD- GEE, I SURE HAD A BIG DAY TO-DAY- WAS YOU IN ON TH' ROW YESTERDAY?
YEP- HEARD EVERY WORD OF IT- THOSE YOUNG THUGS WON'T BE BACK- THEY AREN'T GOIN' TO FOOL WITH MR. WALSH- HE MEANS BUSINESS AND THEY KNOW IT-
THEY'RE TOUGH- BUT HE'S PLENTY TOUGHER- GOTTA BE TO BE CIRCULATION BOSS IN A CITY AS HARD AS THIS- FOLKS JUDGE A PAPER A LOT BY WHO SELLS IT AN' HE'S GOIN' TO PICK WHO HE WANTS- HE'S FAIR- YOU STARTED THAT STAND AND YOU WAS MAKIN' GOOD- HE KNEW THAT-
HE WASN'T GOING TO LET A BUNCH O' BULLIES RUN YOU OUT O' BUSINESS- HE STICKS UP FOR THOSE AS DO THE RIGHT THING- THAT'S WHY HE'S TH' BIG BOSS- TOUGH? HE'S GOTTA BE TOUGH SOME TIMES-
HAROLD GRAY

CAGERS HOME IN TRIUMPH

SPOOFHOUNDS TAKE BOTH THE ROAD GAMES.

BEAT TRENTON 40-23

Harry Wilson "Hot," Makes Half of Team's Points.—Tarkio Here Tuesday Night.

The Maryville Spoofhound basketball team returned from a two-game trip this morning, having defeated Chillicothe Thursday, 27 to 17 and trouncing Trenton, 40 to 23, last night.

From the reports brought back neither game was anything to brag about. The only time the Spoofhounds played real basketball, according to the coaches, was in the last half of the game last night with Trenton, when they ran the score up from 10 to 40 in the last two quarters. The coaches were of the opinion the men were "not in the best of condition" to make the trip and attributed the easy victories rather to weakness of the opponents than to smooth play of the Spoofhounds.

Nevertheless, the local high school cagers have yet to meet defeat this season. They have played and won six games.

The game at Chillicothe was a slow affair and at Trenton it was duplicated in the first half.

Price, playing forward for Maryville, was handicapped with a bad cold. Harry Wilson went in for him in the second half and found the basket nine times with field baskets and two free throws. His attempts at the baskets were mostly pot shots after his team mates had "fed" the ball to him, but he was "hot" from all angles. Captain McMurry seemed to be hitting the basket on the trip and he got five field goals last night.

The Spoofhounds will play next week on their home floor, entertaining the Tarkio High School quintet Tuesday night.

Ralph Hahn rather surprised his coaches last night by finding the basket twice from near the middle of the floor. Hahn has been playing more of a defensive game as stationary guard.

The box score:

Maryville (40)	FG	FT	Trenton (23)	FG	FT
Price, f	0	0	Zoesch, f	4	0
Russell, f	2	0	Johnson, f	1	0
Wilson, f	9	2	Lewis, f	2	0
McArthur, f	0	0	J. Cole, c	1	2
McMurry, c	5	0	Lowther, g	1	1
Hahn, g	2	0	Sheetz, g	1	0
Smith, g	1	0	Norton, g	0	0
			Sankey, g	0	0
Total	19	2	Total	10	3

Score by quarters:

Maryville	4	10	23	40
Trenton	2	9	14	23

Dix Led Batters of Northwest Ball Loop

Turner of Hopkins Is Second—Official Standings Compiled by Secretary Gooden.

The official batting averages of the Northwest Missouri Baseball League have been compiled by Harold Gooden of Stanberry, secretary of the league, and released for publication today. Ray Dix, who played shortstop for Stanberry, led the league batters, making a percentage of .403. Red Turner of Hopkins was second with .396.

The average of each player:

In the following list "S" stands for Stanberry, "M" for Maryville, "H" for Hopkins, "G" for Gentry, "A" for Albany, "B" for Bethany, "K" for King City and "U" for Union Star.

R. Dix, S	.403	Gottschall, U	.250
G. Turner, H	.396	Veale, U	.250
L. Summa, G	.391	J. Castle, U	.250
Stahlin, S	.389	M. Castle, U	.250
Faul, U	.382	Mulholland, S	.246
Rogers, U	.375	Durrant, U	.246
Sullinger, S	.371	Search, M	.242
F. Lisle, G	.366	Besinger, S	.241
Boner, S	.364	Clark, H	.238
Gardner, S	.364	Garrett, U	.235
Vandiver, B	.352	Schultz, M	.235
Lynch, S	.352	Arthur, M	.233
Huffman, U	.351	H. Besinger, S	.231
T. Tobin, M	.342	Hiatt, B	.231
V. Walker, G	.339	Mulholland, S	.231
Turnipseed, S	.337	Norris, K	.231
Williamson, A	.333	Heeker, M	.231
Severson, A	.333	Stevens, A	.224
L. Walker, G	.328	Groce, A	.222
Flint, B	.325	Miller, S	.222
Pierce, A	.323	E. Mitchell, G	.220
L. Summa, G	.321	C. Summa, A	.220
Davis, H	.317	Taylor, K	.214
Thompson, K	.312	L. Holland, U	.214
P. Summa, G	.311	G. Thompson, K	.209
J. Dix, S	.305	D. Turner, H	.206
Akey, S	.303	Jameson, S	.205
Shoemaker, A	.301	R. Woods, B	.201
Scott, A	.300	Chambers, S	.200
Wolfe, G	.300	Rutherford, S	.200
Cunningham, K	.300	Eddie, A	.200
Coffman, B	.300	Smith, A	.200
Peve, H	.300	Holeman, K	.200
T Summa, G	.300	Casey, K	.200
Holland, U	.286	Jameson, K	.200
P. Tobin, M	.286	Turpin, B	.200
McKaig, A	.286	Mathers, H	.195
Baldwin, H	.281	Gibson, K	.190
Pratt, A	.279	Bais, B	.190
McCrary, A	.278	Treasurer, B	.185
Jones, U	.176	Thorburn, H	.192
Bosch, S	.275	Carmichael, M	.186
Caster, A	.273	Orme, H	.185
T. Lewis, M	.273	Noland, K	.180
Williams, A	.269	Caywood, m	.172
Ruley, A	.267	Reeder, H	.170
Brennan, M	.262	Ward, A	.167
Harvey, K	.261	J. Murphy, S	.167
Wilkerson, U	.261	Carpenter, U	.167
G. Summa, A	.259	Dills, A	.158
Smith, K	.258	J. Huffman, U	.154
Laughlin, S	.252	Miller, U	.154
R. Gilbert, S	.250	Bubler, M	.154
Kerns, S	.250	Crabtree, B	.153
Sorenson, S	.250	Weldon, B	.152
Shoemaker, A	.250	Sellers, M	.146
Ward, A	.250	Humphreys, H	.143
Courtner, A	.250	H. Woods, B	.142
Cunningham A	.250	Will, K	.133
J. Lisle, G	.250	Parker, B	.122
Coville, K	.250	Walker, B	.122

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Coe college lost to Cornell college's basketball team, 19-17.

Princeton, N. J.—Princeton University signed a five year contract with coach Albert Wittmer, jr., to coach football and basketball. Wittmer has been head line coach for two years.

PICKERING IS WINNER OVER GRANT CITY

Nodaway County Outdoor Champs Easy Victors, 22-6.—To Play at Hopkins Wednesday.

Continuing its winning streak, the Pickering basketball team last night defeated the Grant City team on the latter's court, 22 to 6. Wilson of Grant City scored a field basket and free throw before Pickering got started. But it was the only field basket made during the game by Grant City.

The first quarter ended 8 to 4 for Pickering; it was 12 to 4 at the half and 14 to 5 at the end of the third quarter.

Grant City was unable to penetrate the Pickering zone defense.

Morris, Pickering center, who scored five field baskets, is showing much improvement over his play during the outdoor season, and was going strong in last night's fray.

Coach Floyd Billingsley said today that two more players now are eligible to play on the team, Charles Rickard and Donavan Ingles, freshmen, who enrolled in school too late to be eligible for the first semester's play. Pickering will play at Hopkins next Wednesday.

The box score:

Grant City	fg	ft	Pickering	fg	ft
Wilson, f	1	2	B. Rickard, f	1	0
Pruegh, f	0	0	Hanna, f	1	0
Hood, f	0	0	Harmon, f	4	0
Keyes, g	0	0	G. Swaney, g	0	0
Eighnity, g	0	0	O. McGinness, g	0	0
Killingsworth, g	0	0	H. Swaney, g	0	0
Beak, g	0	0			
TOTAL	2	4	TOTAL	11	0

Sharkey Looks Bad as Title Contender

Lithuanian Heavy Fails to Dispose of Tom Heeney—Bout Called a Draw.

New York, Jan. 14.—Jack Sharkey failed last night, utterly and dismally, to establish himself as the leading active contender for Gene Tunney's heavy weight title.

The Boston gob flounderd around the ring with Tom Heeney, the rugged oak from New Zealand, for twelve rounds and at the end the judges and referee called it a draw.

The larger part of the crowd of 17,000 was not in accord with the decision and booed and hissed the big Lithuanian as he left the ring.

A draw was certainly the worst that Heeney possibly could have been given, and he looked like a winner to many ringside critics.

The stout-hearted New Zealander outfought Sharkey during most of the bout, rocked him to the bottom of his toes at least twice with his rugged right and made him miss repeatedly. In the tenth Sharkey missed a right haymaker so badly that he fell sprawling.

For a 2 to 1 favorite and the logical opponent for Tunney in the first heavyweight bout of the summer, Sharkey looked anything but good.

Jimmy Johnston and Johnny Buckley, Sharkey's managers, tried to explain their charge's poor showing by his seven months layoff from the ring.

"Sharkey did remarkably well considering his seven months lay off and his injured left hand," Buckley said. "We were entirely satisfied with the result."

Sharkey himself was cross as a bear in his dressing room immediately after the bout.

"I ain't got no kick coming," Sharkey said. "That's all I got to say."

Sharkey vows that Heeney butted him in the fifth instead of hitting him as everyone else saw it.

Ravenwood Divides Games at Hopkins

Visiting Girls Win, 46-15, but Bulldogs Are Victorious, 16-10, in Boys' Clash.

Ravenwood and Hopkins high school basketball teams divided a double-header card at Hopkins last night, the Ravenwood girls winning, 46 to 15, and the Hopkins boys downing the Ravenwood quintet, 16 to 10.

Coach Ted Search started his second string men but used most of his regulars before the game ended. The score at the end of the first half was 10 to 4 for Hopkins.

The box score of the boys' game:

Hopkins	fg	ft	Ravenwood	fg	ft
Jackson, f	0	0	Beedle, f	1	1
F. Mutti, f	5	0	Crater, f	1	0
R. Mutti, f	1	0	West, f	0	0
Baker, c	1	2	Wildish, c	0	0
Sayler, c	0	0	Warehime, g	2	1
Florea, g	0	0	Moore, g	0	0
Bridgewater, g	0	0			
Flowers, g	0	0			
Webb, g	0	0			
TOTAL	7	2	TOTAL	4	2

Graham High Wins at Skidmore, 33-15

Elliott and Dean Are "Hot", Each Scoring Six Baskets From the Field.

The Skidmore Schedule.

Jan. 20—Belleview at Skidmore.
Jan. 27—Skidmore at Maryville, College High School.
Feb. 10—Barnard at Skidmore.
Feb. 17—Pickering at Skidmore.

The date for the return game with Belleview has not been set.

Graham High School's boys basketball team defeated Skidmore at Skidmore last night 33 to 15. Elliott and Dean for Graham had their eyes on the basket and each got six field baskets.

The box score:

Graham	fg	ft	Skidmore	fg	ft
Kaufman, f	3	0	M. Schiller, f	2	1
Elliott, f	6	2	Messick, f	1	0
Dean, c	6	1	N. Schiller, f	0	1
Weston, g	0	0	McClain, c	0	0
Raines, g	0	0	Smith, c	0	0
			King, g	2	0
			Jewett, g	1	1
TOTAL	15	3	TOTAL	6	3

Horn, referee.

Too Many Football Rules, Says Rockne

Newark, N. J. Jan. 14.—Too much tinkering has tended to make football rules a mass of intricacies, so complicated that at times even the officials have difficulty understanding them, Knute Rockne, Notre Dame coach, told members of the Notre Dame alumni association of New Jersey, last night.

"Too much of the judgment is now left to the umpire and referees of the games," Rockne said.

SAVANNAH IS DEFEATED BY BARNARD BOYS

Team Which Gave Spoofhounds Hard Tussle Is Beaten, 18-14.—Barnard Girls Lose.

The Savannah High School boys team, which gave Maryville a tussle here before Christmas and was barely defeated, 17 to 16, went down to defeat at Savannah last night, 18 to 14. Coach Donald Dowell's team used the man-to-man five-man defense which Savannah found difficulty in penetrating.

Barnard got the jump and ran the score to 10 to 3 as the first quarter ended. Savannah then forced the offense, getting six points and at the same time holding Barnard scoreless. The third period was about a standstill, ending in a tie, 12-all.

For Savannah, Barnes, at guard, was the outstanding player on Coach Sam England's team, while for Barnard, Croy, Buie and Kimes did stellar work.

The Savannah girls had little trouble in defeating the Barnard girls, 41 to 12. Savannah displayed good team work, with Schumacher and Schmitt scoring easily.

The boys' box score:

Barnard	fg	ft	Savannah	fg	ft
Smith, f	1	0	Pettijohn, f	1	0
Nelson, f	0	0	Bowman, f	0	0
Nelson, f	0	0	Sears, c	2	1
Buie, c	4	1	Mahood, g	0	1
Croy, g	2	1	Barnes, g	3	0
Kimes, g	1	0	First, f	0	0
Pare, f	0	0	Patterson, f	0	0
McBride, f	0	0	Graff, c	0	0
TOTALS	8	2	TOTAL	6	2

Girls box score:

Barnard	fg	ft	Savannah	fg	ft
Dougan, f	3	2	Schumacher, f	7	1
Adams, f	1	0	Schmitt, f	7	2
B. Daniels, jc	0	0	Mattox, f	1	0
Bare, rc	0	0	White, f	4	0
J. Daniels, f	1	0	Dysart, f	0	0
Donaldson, g	0	0	Brownlee, jc	0	0
Osborn, g	3	2	Bowman, rc	0	0
			Stritchman, rc	0	0
			Herndon, g	0	0
			Hale, g	0	0
			Mahood, g	0	0
			Merritt, g	0	0
			Miller, g	0	0
TOTAL	5	2	TOTAL	19	3

Ernest Ellis, Maryville, referee.

Sammy Mandell Wins From Billy Petrolle

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 14. — Although he barely escaped a knockout in the eighth round, Sammy Mandell, lightweight champion, won from Billy Petrolle, Fargo, N. D., in a ten round bout, in the opinion of the majority of newspapermen.

Mandell's title was not involved.

Schaeffer's Lead to 566.

New York, Jan. 14.—Jake Schaefer established a lead of 566 points over Welker Cochran in the tenth block of their 3,600-point 18.1 billiard match last night.

Registering a high run of 222, Schaefer won the block in nine innings, 300 to 59, after losing in the afternoon, 367 to 300.

The present score of the match is Schaefer, 3,000, Cochran 2,432.

Monte Munn Quits in 7th.

Boston, Jan. 14.—Roberto Roberti, Italian heavyweight, defeated Monte Munn, giant Nebraskan, here last night, when Munn failed to respond to the bell to start the seventh round.

Sport Tabloids

By United Press

Columbia, Mo.—The University of Missouri Tigers defeated the Grinnell Pioneers, 29 to 28, here last night. The Pioneers led until the last few minutes of play.

St. Joseph, Mo.—The Hillyards, National basketball champions, left here yesterday on a trip that will include fourteen games and will carry them to the west coast. They will return Feb. 2.

Wichita, Kan.—Friends University basketball team defeated Sterling College, 37 to 33, in a Kansas conference game last night.

Kansas City, Mo.—The Kansas City Pla-Mors defeated the Minneapolis Millers, 1 to 0, in an Ice Hockey Game here last night. The score came in an overtime period.

Norman, Okla.—University of Oklahoma Sooners defeated the Kansas Jayhawkers, 45 to 19, last night in a Missouri Valley conference basketball game. It was Oklahoma's sixth successive victory.

Stillwater, Okla.—The Oklahoma A. & M. college basketball team defeated Kansas Aggies, 35 to 34, in a Missouri Valley conference basketball game last night.

Warrensburg, Mo. — Warrensburg Teachers defeated Cape Girardeau Teachers here last night by the score of 34 to 29 in a Missouri conference basketball game.

Tarkio, Mo.—William Jewell college cagers defeated the Tarkio five, 52 to 22, here last night.

Emporia, Kan.—College of Emporia cagers defeated the Catholic Community Club of Kansas City, 27 to 23, here last night.

St. Louis, Mo.—Iowa State defeated Washington U. 41-35 in a Missouri Valley Basketball game here last night. The score at the half was Iowa 22, Washington 21.

South Bend, Ind.—Notre's Dame's basketball team easily defeated Franklin college, 36-24.

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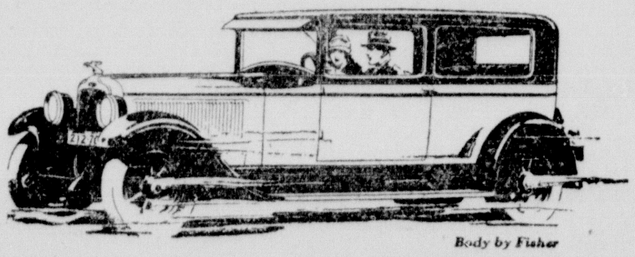

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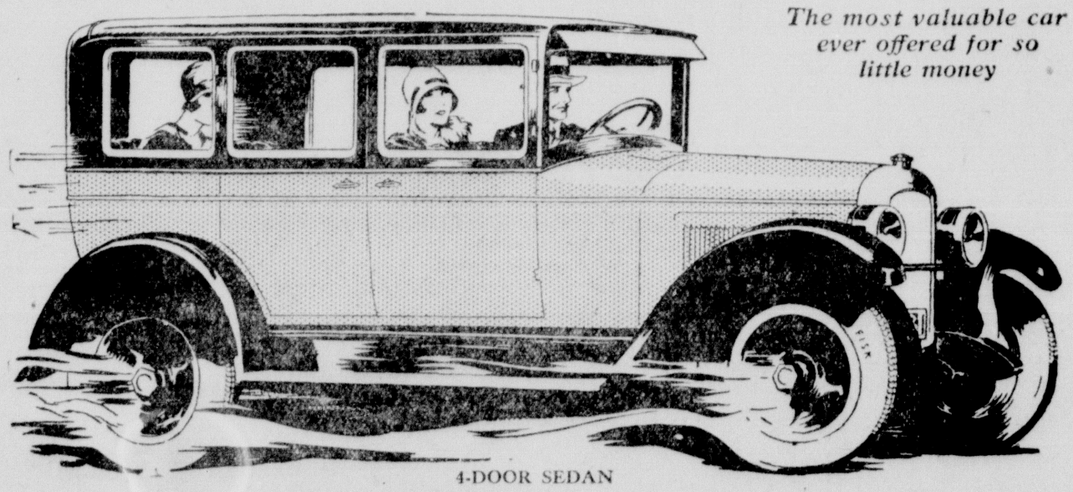

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